





lution. This was the Senator's last appearance in public.

During the last part of July and up to August 17 he remained in his home and much of the time stayed in bed. He received visitors daily and dictated many letters to his secretary.

Previous to the 17th, reports of his illness were treated lightly by his family and immediate friends. On one occasion, when a report was circulated that his condition was serious, he dictated a semi-humorous account of his illness and requested that it be sent to the Associated Press. He attributed his illness to "Washington malaria" and to the attack of lumbago. He grew gradually weaker, however, and on the morning of August 17 had a coughing spell, caused by the weak action of the heart. His condition seriously alarmed his physician and his family.

On September 25, it was announced by the son that he was falling rapidly and he lapsed at times into unconsciousness. From that time until his death he was unable to take nourishment, but his constitution enabled him to resist death for such a length of time that even his physician was surprised.

**Sketch of His Life.**

George Frisbie Hoar, senior United States Senator from Massachusetts, son of Samuel Hoar, the statesman, and grandson of Capt. Samuel Hoar, an officer in the Revolutionary War, was born at Concord, Mass., August 29, 1826, and was educated at Concord Academy and at Harvard College, from which latter institution he was graduated with the class of 1846. After studying law he was graduated from the Harvard law school and began the practice of his profession at Worcester, his home until his death.

He was a member of the Massachusetts House of Representatives in 1852 and of the State Senate in 1857, after which he was elected, as a Republican, to four successive Congresses, serving from March 4, 1869, until March 3, 1877.

He declined a renomination to Congress, was elected United States Senator from Massachusetts, taking his seat March 5, 1877, was re-elected in 1883 and again to the expiration of each successive term, the last time being in 1901. His present term would have expired in 1907, completing a period of thirty years' service in the upper house.

He was a delegate to the Republican National Conventions of 1876, 1880 and 1884, and one of the managers, on the part of the House of Representatives, of the Belmont impeachment trial, in 1876, and a member of the Electoral Commission of that year.

He was an overseer of Harvard in 1874-80, regent of the Smithsonian Institution in 1880, president of the American Antiquarian Society in 1887, trustee of the Peabody Museum of Archaeology and a member of the Massachusetts Historical Society, besides many other historical, scientific and literary societies. He received the degree of LL.D. from William and Mary, Amherst, Yale and Harvard colleges, successively.

Senator Hoar was twice married—to Miss Mary Louisa Spurr and after her death to Miss Ruth A. Miller. His second wife died in Washington last winter.

He is survived by one brother, Ebenezer Rockwood Hoar of Worcester, a prominent member of the Massachusetts bar; and by one son, Col. Rockwood Hoar, district attorney of Worcester county.

#### COULDN'T BAFFLE EHLE.

**American Engineer Finds Out Things About Panama Canal Which French Failed to Discover.**

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—A.M.)

CHICAGO, Sept. 29.—George Ehle, an American engineer, with a party of young college graduates in four months has made discoveries about the Panama canal which the French engineers failed to make in fifteen years. His information makes it possible to solve the baffling problem of the Chagres river freshets by diverting the stream to the Pacific Coast. It also releases \$3,000,000 for excavating a sea level waterway.

This announcement of the engineering work thus far done by the United States Panama Canal Commission was made last night before the Chicago Press Club by Chief Engineer John C. Wallace, who recently returned from the isthmus.

In his explorations, said the chief engineer, "Resident Engineer George Ehle and his college aides endured hardships that it took American engineers to overcome. They spent four months in the tropical jungle, tracing the course and sources of the Chagres river, whose spring freshets, sometimes four feet high, so far have proved an insuperable obstacle to a sea level canal project."

By the use of data collected by the Ehle party, Wallace said that it would be possible to divert the Chagres from the Caribbean slope to the Pacific side of the isthmus. This could be done at an approximate cost of \$25,000,000, releasing \$20,000,000 of the \$45,000,000 destined for the construction of locks.

#### SWEETLAND'S SUICIDE.

**Well-known Citizen of Albuquerque Shoots Himself—Leaves a Son in This City.**

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

ALBUQUERQUE (N.M.) Sept. 29.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) Archie C. Sweetland, a well-known citizen of Albuquerque, committed suicide today. His dead body was found in the rear of the storehouse by a plumber. An investigation showed that two shots were fired, the second bullet passing through his heart. Mrs. Sweetland can give no reason why her husband committed the rash act. The deceased came here twenty-three years ago. He was in the restaurant business here, then a trader and merchant among the Navajo Indians, then a general merchandise business at Needles, Cal., and finally in the laundry business here. He left a note showing he had planned suicide.

One son, Archie Sweetland, Jr., is employed at Merriam's confectionery store, No. 127 South Spring street, Los Angeles, and another lives here.

## MANY IRISH FOR "TEDDY."

**Editor Roche of the Boston Pilot Tells Why.**

**The President Fair and Just to the Catholics.**

**Fairbanks Due at San Jose Next Tuesday.**

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) The Brooklyn Eagle's Washington special says:

"Another encouraging bit of information received by the Republican leaders here relates to the Irish vote. James Jeffrey Roche, editor of the Boston Pilot, who is now in this city and who yesterday lunched with Roosevelt, says that many Irish-Americans will this year vote for the Republican candidate for President for the first time."

"One of the most significant features of this campaign," said Roche, "is the breaking up of the solidarity of the Irish vote. Of course, since the time of Blaine, the Irish have been drifting away from the Democratic party, but not in very large numbers; but in this campaign they seem to be declaring for Theodore Roosevelt."

The President has always been popular with citizens of Irish birth and extraction. He has been fair and just to the faith which is professed by the majority, and after all, the Irish are not only a fighting, but a grateful race."

#### PHILIPPINE PRIARS.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

MILWAUKEE (Wis.) Sept. 29.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) "I cannot speak for the Vatican," said Archbishop Messmore today, "but I believe that President Roosevelt's policy in regard to the Philippine friars has met the approval of the Vatican authorities, and that there is a feeling that, in case of his election, they would be assured of straightforward and considerate treatment. Personally, I should be glad to see Roosevelt elected President, though I can only speak for myself."

#### FINISHES IN MONTANA.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—A.M.)

MISSOULA (Mont.) Sept. 29.—While stop of an hour at this point, Senator Fairbanks concluded his four days speaking tour of the State of Montana. His special train arrived at 8:30 o'clock a.m., and was met at the railroad station by a committee of prominent Republicans and escorted to an immense tent near the depot by the Young Men's Republican Club and a brass band. The tent in which the meeting was held is used as a theater, and the orators spoke from a platform used by the troupe.

The early hour at which the meeting was held did not have the effect of preventing a large attendance or of diminishing the ardor of those who were there. The meeting was thoroughly appreciative, and there were cheers or greetings as Senators Fairbanks and Doliver were taken to the meeting place. This being the residence of Congressman Dixon, he presided at the meeting.

Senator Fairbanks made an argument for the retention of the Republican party to power, saying that it had shown its capacity by recording its ready made, and urging that success in the past is the best guarantee for the future. He contended that all its policies had been demonstrated to be wise and in the interest of the people; hence the unwisdom of a change, which could lead to experiment along lines that had already proved disastrous.

While he was speaking, a near-by locomotive insisted upon blowing off steam, whereupon Mr. Fairbanks said: "How like the Democratic orators, capable of making a great deal of noise, but of doing little else."

When the party left here, it was still 150 miles from the State line on the west, but the schedule called for no more speaking until Sand Point, Id., which should be reached late in the afternoon.

#### ARRIVES IN SPOKANE.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—A.M.)

SPOKANE (Wash.) Sept. 29.—From Helena, Mont., to Spokane, Wash., Senator Fairbanks traveled today, crossing the northern part of Idaho on route. The day was marked for the senator by a number of speeches, making, and the striking features of Bitter Root and Cabinet ranges, as well as the swiftly-flowing Clark fork of the Columbia River and the Pend Oreille Lake were fully appreciated by the Vice-Presidential candidate and his colleague, Senator Doliver. Senator Carter and other members of the Montana escort were left behind at Helena and Missoula, and the Washington committee did not come aboard the special train until the middle of the afternoon, the Senators were left to their own resources, during the greater part of the day.

The train out of Helena was in charge of a conductor and an engineer, both of whom are candidates on the Democratic ticket for the Montana Legislature.

It was at Hope, Idaho, that the visitors first came into sight of Lake Pend Oreille. There was a brief stop at that point, but instead of delivering speeches, the Senators put their time watching the droil performance of a pet bear which was exhibited for their delectation.

In Idaho, the train was stopped at Sand Point and Rathdrum for speeches, and at both places the talking was done from the platform of the Edgemore. Sand Point being an important lumbering point, Senator Fairbanks devoted his remarks largely there to a discussion of the duty on lumber, contending that Republican policies are necessary to the proper protection of that industry. He made no reference to Senator Doliver's challenge to discuss polygamy at the stopping places in Idaho.

The party arrived in this city at

5:30, and at 8 o'clock the Senator's party was escorted to the Spokane Theater by a number of marching clubs. They encountered an opposition demonstration on the part of the Socialists, who carried banners for President Eugene V. Debs, spoke in another theater in the city during the evening. In his speech tonight, Senator Fairbanks made an exposition of the Republican policy in the Philippines, his leading topic. He also discussed the tariff, and urged a continuance of the Republican policies as necessary to the welfare of the people at large. On the Philippine question he said:

"The close of the war found us face to face with new duties. New responsibilities were unexpectedly imposed upon us, but we had the capacity and the national honesty to meet them with humane and resolute purpose. We have met them in a manner to strengthen and not to subvert our national institutions. We have been inspired by no imperialist purpose, and those who so believe misjudge the course of events and the real purpose of our countrymen. The flag of the United States was carried to the islands of the Philippines in order to build up Republican institutions."

"We have been in the islands but a comparatively brief period. It has been less than six years since the conclusion of the war. In that time, insurrection has been suppressed, order restored, schools established, the administration of justice improved and the Philippines have been rapidly educated in the ways of self-government. It has been a part of our policy to invite them to the administration of their affairs as speedily as the situation warranted."

"From the beginning the most ample evidence of the purpose of the United States to establish a just government in the islands has been the participation in it consistent with their capacity."

"We have not endeavored to anticipate the duties of the future, believing that the American people can be trusted to do in full measure all which honor shall suggest toward the people of the Philippine Islands."

#### DUE AT SAN JOSE.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—A.M.)

SAN JOSE, Sept. 29.—Senator Fairbanks will speak in this city next Tuesday forenoon. The Republican Congress campaign will be opened at Gilroy next Saturday evening, with speeches by Nominee E. A. Hayes, Maj. Kyle of San Francisco and others.

#### CALLERS FROM ALL WINGS.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—P.M.)

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—Indicative of an effort on the part of Ex-Judge Parker to unite both factions and bring together individuals whose personal differences might interfere with harmonious action for the national ticket, his callers during the three days of his present trip to New York have included representatives of every wing of the Democratic party.

In this connection, conspicuous among those who visited the candidate today were Dr. John Girdner, who has been the host of W. J. Bryan when he came to New York, and Alexander Troup, who served as chairman of the Connecticut State Committee and conducted an enthusiastic campaign for Bryan four years ago.

The President has created the most notable comment was the meeting between Senators Gorman and Doliver of Maryland, accompanied by an announcement from their close political ally, Ex-Judge Parker, who served as chairman of the Maryland legislature, and the orators spoke from a platform used by the troupe.

Former Representative Benjamin C. Cable of Illinois, who called on the judge, is another whose coming is noted in the papers. The Illinois paper declares that international law is a polite myth, under cover of which the strongest nation takes what it wants without regard for its opponents' rights and feelings, and might run down to San Diego just to look around.

#### LABOR LEADER BOGARD ONE.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—A.M.)

Parker has decided not to return to Keosau until tomorrow afternoon. Among his callers today was John Bogard, prominent as a labor leader. Bogard had visited Ex-Judge Parker at his home at Rosemont and called for the purpose of continuing a discussion touching on the relation of the Democratic party to the labor movement.

Dr. John H. Gardner of New York, who is a close personal friend of William J. Bryan, today paid to pay his respects to Parker.

#### POLITICAL BRIEFS.

##### LA POLITIQUE DECISION.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—A.M.)

MADISON (Wis.) Sept. 29.—The decision was not rendered in the La Follette case today, and the politicians of both factions are compelled to wait with what patience they can summon for another twenty-four hours at least. Judge Cassady is still unable to attend court.

##### RHODE ISLAND DEMOCRATS.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—P.M.)

PROVIDENCE (R. I.) Sept. 29.—The Democratic State Convention met here today and nominated Presidential electors and the following State ticket without opposition:

Governor—F. G. GARVER.  
Lieutenant-Governor—ADLAIR ARCHAMBAULT.  
Secretary of State—JOHN H. KEENE.  
Attorney-General—GEORGE T. BROWN.

##### TREASURER—EDWARD M. WALKER.

##### MONTREY REGISTRATION.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—P.M.)

SALINAS, Sept. 29.—The registration in Monterey county this year will fall not less than 500 short of that in 1902. The vote of the county four years ago was over 5000, but it may not reach 4000 at the coming election.

##### NO DELAWARE COMPROMISE.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—P.M.)

WILMINGTON, Sept. 29.—The varying factions of the Republican party in Delaware made a vain effort to effect a compromise on a State ticket which both the Regular and the Fusionists would support. The important position of Chief Secretary of the Ministry of the Interior Household in order to be able to accept the nomination of Chief of the Gendarmerie.

##### DEBATE AT SPOKANE.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—P.M.)

SPOKANE, Sept. 29.—Eugene V. Debs, Socialist candidate for President, addressed an audience of 1500 tonight at the Auditorium. He was met by a cheering throng of 10 to 20 cents, was charged,

## CZAR MEETS GRIPPENBERG.

**Stops His Train at Vilna to Receive the Latter.**

**Rouzesky Chief of Staff of the Second Army.**

**Russia Does Not Think Peace Talk is Opportune.**

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—A.M.)

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 29.—(By Atlantic Cable.) The emperor will return here from Odessa October 4. There will be considerable delay in giving out official telegrams during his absence. The Emperor stopped his train at Vilna, in order to receive in audience Gen. Gripenberg, who is to command the second Manchurian army, and who went there to hand over the charge of the military district.

Gen. Gripenberg's chief of staff at Vilna, Gen. Rouzesky, has been appointed chief of staff of the second army. Rouzesky served with distinction during the Turkish war, and was wounded at Plevna. Gen. Schwank, chief of staff of the Sixth Corps in the Caucasus, has been appointed quarter-general of the second army, which will be composed of six corps, including the Eighth Odessa Corps and the Sixth Siberian Corps. The latter is now with Gen. Kouravskiy. The remaining corps are not yet designated, so it is understood that they will include one from Kiev, one from the Caucasus and the Sixth Corps from Lomja.

#### CZAR TO GO HUNTING.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—A.M.)

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 29, 1:45 p.m.—Upon the Emperor's return from Southern Russia, he will go to his hunting lodge at Bialovesh, on the border of Poland, between Vilna and Kiev, for a fortnight's shooting.

#### NOT EXACTLY OPPORTUNE.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—A.M.)

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 29.—(By Atlantic Cable.) While considerable public interest has been aroused by the reports that the President is sounding the call for a peace conference, at the Hague, no intimation of such a purpose has yet been officially conveyed to Russia, either through Ambassador Cassini or Ambassador Gromov. In official circles, the proposition is not considered to be exactly opportune. The Russian government, naturally, is greatly interested in the tribunal which owes its existence to Emperor Nicholas's initiative, and under ordinary circumstances would welcome anything to forward its aims, but it is pointed out that, during the war, it would hardly be considered the part of wisdom to open negotiations, of course, to limit the activity of the belligerents. Russia admits that there are many questions growing out of the war, but she is not inclined to settle, and she is in favor of a conference at the close of the war.

#### THE NOVOI, IN A BITTERLY SARCASTIC EDITORIAL, REFERS TO THE CONFERENCE OF THE INSTITUTE OF INTERNATIONAL LAW, WHICH CLOSED AT EDINBURGH YESTERDAY, AND TO THE PROPOSAL FROM THE UNITED STATES TO RECONSIDER THE HAGUE CONVENTION.

The paper declares that international law is a polite myth, under cover of which the strongest nation takes what it wants without regard for its opponents' rights and feelings, and might run down to San Diego just to look around.

#### Left One Bride Here.

Robert Scott of No. 635 West Thirty-seventh street disappeared from Los Angeles Monday, September 19. Scott left a bride of five weeks in this city and dropped out of sight. He formerly worked for the New York Store of Phoenix, Ariz., and there he met, wooed and won Mrs. Constance Stevens, a clerk in the store. He was married to Mrs. Stevens and brought her to this city to reside, but after a honeymoon lasting five weeks, he began to tire and left, saying he might run down to San Diego just to look around.

#### FACTS MAKE LAW.

Conclusions Arrived at by Swedish Jurist at Congress of Lawyers at St. Louis.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—A.M.)

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 29.—The proceedings of the annual Congress of Lawyers and Jurists, which will continue throughout the week, are to be conducted with dispatch and without loss of time. President Brewer announced that with the question of justice to the rules adopted, which provide that discussion must be limited to fifteen minutes by each speaker, on a matter of science. As practical thing, I am looking upon the administration of justice mainly as a means of helping the people of visiting those who are suffering wrong. Administration of justice as a science looks upon matters from a generalization point of view under which each case is put in a certain class with reference to the facts of the case or certain sign. The individuality of the case is not so closely considered."

He then went into an exhaustive explanation of the different systems of the world, saying that all embodied the fundamental principle that facts make law, or, as set forth in an old Swedish law code, "no law is better to follow than the truth."

#### JURY SYSTEM DISCUSSED.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—P.M.)

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 29.—Judge John M. Dillon of New York said he was thoroughly convinced that the present jury system was the best fitted to our individuality. He made the individual prominent and that was what we are fond of. He said he preferred a trial by jury and judge and witness for the opposing side would be brought face to face. Given a good judge, who knows just how to throw out a jury, he would rather have a jury of twelve men of ordinary intelligence than twelve men of superior intelligence.

#### THE FOLLOWING RESOLUTION, ON WHICH THE COMMITTEE ON NATIONS HAD REPORTED FAVORABLY, WAS ADOPTED BY THE CONGRESS WITH UNANIMITY:

"Resolved, that the Universal Congress of Lawyers and Jurists, sympathetic to the liberal movement, and about friendly agreement, welcomes the announcement of the President of the United States that he purports to call a new conference."

The congress noted down a resolution on which the committee had reported unfavorably, to the effect that the Emperor of Russia be requested to call the new conference.

The convention adjourned until tomorrow.

Adence which knits its relation to the social class, the institutions and the people in general."

#### GERMANY AND MEDIATION.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—A.M.)

FRANKFURT ON THE MAIN, Sept. 29.—Chancellor Von Buelow, in an interview printed in the Frankfurter Zeitung today, relative to the recent visit of Signor Giolitti, the Italian Premier, to the Chancellor at Hamburg, is quoted as saying that it was altogether personal, and that it was not announced in advance to avoid premature speculation. As for their having discussed mediation in the Far Eastern war, such a thing was excluded from consideration by the knowledge that neither Russia nor Japan desired mediation.

#### JEWS WITHIN PALE.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—A.M.)

VILNA (Russia) Sept. 29.—By virtue of the Emperor's ukase, extending the privilege of residence to certain classes of Jews within the pale, the police have received instructions to hew not expel Jewish workmen from villages in which they have taken up their residence since 1882.

## CALL TO REPEAT EXPOSES BIGAMY.

**FORMER LOS ANGELES CLERK TELLS ALL IN GALVESTON.**

When R. E. Scott listened to the Salvation Army All His Wrongdoing Came Over Him and Now the Police Are Calling Back and Forth.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

GALVESTON (Tex.) Sept. 29.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) R. E. Scott, a drygoods clerk, gave himself up to the police department last night, stating that after listening to the Salvation Army services in the streets he had become converted and repented of being a bigamist. He stated that he had been here only four or five days and had come direct from Los Angeles. He now has a wife; also, a wife in Canada. Chief Rowan of the police department here telegraphed to the Los Angeles police department concerning the matter, but he has not yet received a reply.

According to Scott's story, seven years ago he was married in Canada, but, owing to domestic troubles conjugal relations lasted but a short time. The divorce laws of Canada, he says, are so strict that a divorce cannot be secured without putting up \$300 at the institution of proceedings and before the matter is adjusted the aggregate is approximately \$3000.

Last August, he says, he was married in Los Angeles to a widow with three children—but not until the Salvation Army services last night did the thought of a bigamist worry him.

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## DITCHED NEAR ALBUQUERQUE.

**Santa Fe Passenger Train No. 7 in Wreck.**

**Express Messenger Harris of Los Angeles Hurt.**

**Philippine Scouts Shaken up and Tramp Killed.**

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

ALBUQUERQUE (N.M.) Sept. 29.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) Santa Fe passenger train No. 7, bound for California, was ditched yesterday south of this city. The spreading of rails caused the engine, mail car, combination baggage and newspaper car, extra baggage car and a tourist sleeper to jump the track and roll down a ten-foot embankment.

Engineer Rehder and Fireman De Long were not injured, although they went over with the engine. Mail Clerk W. L. Wade of this city and Express Messenger S. M. Harris of Los Angeles were both slightly injured.

The first battalion of Philippine Scouts, in command of Second Lieut. McCue, occupied the tourist sleeper, which went over the embankment, and several of the scouts received scalp wounds and bruises, but none were seriously injured.

The mutilated body of an unknown white tramp was dug from under the wreckage this afternoon. At first it was thought to be a negro, so black and dirty were the face and hands, but investigation proved him to be a white man. A negro tramp was with him at the time of the crash, but escaped injury.

#### LAID TO WRECKERS.

Santa Fe officials say tonight that passenger train No. 7 was ditched by train wreckers. The bolts and fish plates were removed for a distance of several hundred yards. Enemies of the road, presumably using machinery, are suspected. Officials say the wreckers were after the east-bound limited, due at the scene of the wreck about the same time there was no attempt at robbery. General Manager Wells of the Santa Fe Coast lines has offered \$500 reward for the apprehension of the wreckers.

#### RAINS CAUSE WASHOUTS.

GEORAPHERS WATERHOOD.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—P.M.)

EL PASO (Tex.) Sept. 29.—Heavy rains in the past twenty-four hours have caused serious damage to railroads in Western Texas, New Mexico and Northern Mexico. Several washouts are reported on the Santa Fe in New Mexico, the most serious at Eagle and Las Cruces.

The special train of delegates to the International Congress of Geographers is waterbound near Las Cruces. The Sierra Madre road in Mexico is washed out in several places, and the bridge at Kilometer is weakened and is expected to go out during the night. Over 1000 people are held here, a great rarity for this time of the year.

The Rio Grande is on a big rise. All trains will be delayed from twenty to thirty hours.

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# CONNECTICUT IS LAUNCHED.

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(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—A.M.) NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—Despite sensational rumors of threatened vandalism, the battleship Connecticut was successfully launched at the New York navy yard today. On the stand at the bow of the ship, Mrs. Alice B. Welles, daughter of the late Governor of Connecticut, Secretary of the Navy during the Civil War, stood with the Connecticut. The ship was launched by the Connecticut. The ship was launched by the Connecticut. The ship was launched by the Connecticut.

As the great hull began to slide down the ways Mrs. Alice B. Welles, granddaughter of Gideon Welles of Connecticut, Secretary of the Navy during the Civil War, stood with the Connecticut. The ship was launched by the Connecticut. The ship was launched by the Connecticut. The ship was launched by the Connecticut.

THOUSANDS PRESENT. Many thousands of people witnessed the launching of this, the first battleship built in a government navy yard since the ill-fated Maine, large crowds gathered at the navy yards and at various points on the Manhattan and Brooklyn sides of East River. More than 30,000 invitations were issued and few were not used.

The ship started slowly at first, gaining momentum as it slipped into the water. A chorus of whistles from the vessels in the harbor drowned the strains of the assembled warship bands, and the big steel hull rode safely on the water.

THE LOUISIANA'S SISTER. (BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—A.M.) NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—The Connecticut is a sister ship of the Louisiana, and both vessels were authorized by act of Congress in 1902. The Connecticut was built in a government navy yard and under government supervision, while the Louisiana was built by a private shipbuilding firm, at Newport News, Va. The construction of both ships has been followed with keen interest, as it was recognized that this was a test of the government's ability to cope with private enterprise.

The Connecticut when finished will be the finest and most powerful battleship in the American navy and will rank with the most powerful battleships of the navies of other nations. Notwithstanding the fact that a new plant had to be created for the construction of the Connecticut, this vessel is but 100 days behind the Louisiana, although laid down two months later.

IS MADE OF STEEL. The Connecticut is of steel, with a displacement of 18,000 tons and a maximum draught of 17.70 feet. The vessel is 450 feet on the load-water line, 454.4 feet on the keel, 76 feet beam and 24.6 feet draught.

The engines will be of the twin-screw, vertical, four-cylinder type, with a combined horsepower of 16,500, and these will accumulate a speed of 19 knots. The Connecticut will carry three funnels, two masts, two main and two secondary turrets, and a main deck central battery. The armor has a total weight of 3992 tons. On each side amidships there is a steel belt 18 1/2 feet long, nine feet three inches wide and eleven inches thick. Forward and aft of this belt is another nine inches thick, covering the magazines. This is ended by six-inch bulkheads. On the lower deck for 24 feet the armor is six inches thick and on the main deck for 236 feet, where the central battery is, the armor is seven inches thick. The protected deck is one and one-half inches thick on the slopes. The main turrets are eight inches thick, with twelve and one-half inch faces. There are two of these. The barbette are covered with ten inches of armor, and the secondary turrets with six inches of armor, with six and one-half inch faces. The counting tower is protected with steel armor nine inches thick and the signal tower with six inches of steel.

HER ARMAMENT. Her armament will consist of four 12-inch breech-loading guns, one pair in the forward turret, and another aft, and eight 8-inch guns mounted in pairs in the four turrets in the superstructure. In the main-deck battery there will be twelve 7-inch rapid-fire guns, mounted six to a broadside. In addition, there will be twelve 1-pounders, twelve 3-pounders, six 1-pounders, two 1-pound semi-automatic and eight 30-inch machine guns.

The coal bunker capacity of the Connecticut is 900 tons normally, but in an emergency this can be increased to 200 tons. Ordinarily, she will carry sufficient coal to steam 7000 miles at 11 knots, or 2500 miles at 18 knots. The Connecticut is to be fitted for use as a flagship, and when in commission will carry forty-two officers and 740 men. She is not to exceed \$11,210,000 in cost. This will be the third vessel to bear the name of Connecticut in the United States navy. The first was built at Middletown, Ct., in 1778. The second was a wooden side-wheeler purchased in 1861 and used during the Civil War. This vessel cost \$200,000 and was sold at auction in 1865 for \$121,000.

## ST. ANDREW'S SOCIETY.

First Business Session of the Brotherhood's Convention in Philadelphia is Held.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—P.M.) PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 29.—More than 2000 members of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew assembled today in Horticultural Hall for the first business session of the nineteenth annual convention of the order. The principal subjects considered at this session were those contained in the reports of the National Council and the treasurer and the discussion of Brotherhood work and its extension. Tonight a mass meeting was held in the Academy of Music, at which "Aggressive Church Work by Laymen" was the leading topic.

The report of the National Council gave statistics of the growth of the organization. There are 1294 chapters in force in the senior department, 762 being those of the active chapters. The report of the treasurer, George R. Randall of Pittsburgh, showed the receipts for the year to be \$21,329, and the expenditures \$21,380. The "aggressive movement" funds now amount to \$10,185.

A resolution that the proposal to increase the membership of the National Council was referred to the Committee on Nominations. The resolution also restricted the membership of the council to forty-five.

Over four hundred delegates from all over the world are expected to be present at the convention. The convention will close on October 1, 1905.

Secretary Clark, Who is Coming Over from London to Report to Zeigler, Himself, Says the Next Relief Trip Will Start from Norway in June.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—P.M.) LONDON, Sept. 29.—[By Atlantic Cable.] W. S. Champ, secretary to William Zeigler of New York, and who was in charge of the expedition sent to search for the Arctic exploration steamer America, will sail for New York tomorrow on board the White Star liner Cedric. On his arrival in the United States he will report to Zeigler the details of the two attempts of the expedition to reach Franz Josef Land for the relief of the America.

Champ stated to the Associated Press that the next relief expedition will leave June 1, 1905. Describing the attempt after leaving Vardo, Norway, August 6, Champ said the expedition encountered tremendous gales. After meeting with an ice pack she steamed as rapidly as possible until she reached almost 79 deg. of north latitude, when drift ice drove her back. After endeavoring to anchor beyond the ice pack, the expedition was obliged September 14 to give up the attempt, as new ice was forming of a thickness of seven inches in twenty-four hours.

Champ said it was just possible that the America might be able to reach herself during October, but probably she would not be heard from until next year. He believed, however, that the members of the expedition were amply supplied with provisions and other necessities and that there was no reason for much anxiety concerning them.

PHILIPPINES' CHIEF JUSTICE. NAPLES, Sept. 29.—Cayetano Arcellano, Chief Justice of the Philippine Islands, who was received in private audience by Pope Pius, left for the Philippines today. He will travel via the United States.

North Yakima Races. THE 2:10 trot: Most of the horses were in poor condition. The 2:11 pace: Sollock won, Lerol second, Hassalo third; time 2:12.50. Half mile, running: Aurora R. won, Calhoun second, Big third; time 0:48. Six furlongs: Sullie Goodwin won, Urbain second, Budd Wade third; time 1:14.50.

Most Enthusiastic Political Rally in the Town's History—Columbia Marching Club and Santa Ana Band do Valiant Service—Forceful Discussion.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES) ORANGE, Sept. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The most successful and enthusiastic Republican rally in the history of Orange was held tonight with hundreds of staunch party adherents present from miles around.

The Columbia Marching Club was the Santa Ana band and a large delegation of countyseat Republicans arrived by special cars at 7:30 o'clock, and with band stationed in the Plaza, the crack marching club gave an exhibition drill about the park to cheering crowds.

The whole display was lighted with electric lights and red fire. At Old Fellows' Hall, where speech making was held, there were insufficient seats for the crowd, and many were forced to stand during the meeting.

The gathering was called to order by H. Z. Adams, president of the Orange County Republican Club, who introduced Walter Gregg as presiding officer. The first speech was made by Richard Melrose of Anaheim, candidate for Presidential elector, who discussed the policies of the Democratic platform.



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## Economy the Key Note of Our Bargain-Friday Sales

If you have a grain of economy in your make-up you'll appreciate these Bargain-Friday sales and grasp the opportunities for money saving presented by these weekly events. What though the merchandise featured is principally remnants and broken assortments, the fact of a piece of goods being a remnant proves conclusively that the particular material met with ready sale. Every article featured for Bargain-Friday is at a special price for that day only; but as we've often told you before, the very best things find no newspaper publicity—lines that are too short to advertise are consigned to the aisle tables and are frequently disposed of early in the day. Come as early as you can—there's always a crowd on Bargain-Friday, but it's a jolly, good natured crowd and you'll enjoy the activity and bustle which you will find in this busy store. Note carefully each of the following following items. Your savings multiply as your expenditures increase.

### 20c Linen Gingham 7 1/2c

50 pieces of linen gingham in the very best of patterns and colors; 24 inches wide; suitable for women's and children's wear; absolutely fast color; actual 20c values; Friday, per yard, 7 1/2c.

### Popular Wash Goods 5c Yard

Worth up to 50c. Bargain-Friday we offer all that is left of our wash goods stock at the well-nigh ridiculous price of 5c a yard; linens, voiles, etamines, lawns, batistes and dimities; materials originally priced from 10c up to 50c; some of them in short lengths, others of nearly full pieces; an immense assortment to choose from; you'd better get first pick and you'll have to come early to do so. Bargain-Friday, per yard, 5c.

### Lonsdale Cambric 6c

500 yards of Lonsdale and Berkely cambric in mill remnants of from 2 to 10 yards; these materials usually sell at 12 1/2c; not more than 15 yards sold to any one customer; if you're late the day out, so early, Bargain-Friday, per yard, 6c.

### 81c India Linon 5c

Fine sheet India linon for women's and children's dresses; 30 inches wide; a regular 81c value; Friday, per yard, 5c.

### Short Lengths of Linens

Prices Are Short Also

All linen brown crash; the sort that always sells at 50c; Bargain-Friday, 5-yard lengths for 33c. 12c glass toweling; lengths of 3 yards Bargain-Friday for 33c. White Russia crash; good quality; a bargain at 5c; Friday, lengths of 5 yards for 32c. Cream colored table damask; all linen; usually priced at 60c; Bargain-Friday, 2-yard lengths for 98c. Good table damask; 58 inches wide; neat patterns; regular price 35c; Bargain-Friday, 3-yard lengths for 72c. Pure linen table damask; excellent quality; handsome designs; worth regularly 70c; 2 1/2 yard lengths for \$1.59. 16-inch white napkins; the sort that usually sell at 70c a dozen; Bargain-Friday, half dozen lots for 29c. 30-inch white table napkins; good quality; neat designs; regularly worth \$1.00 a dozen; less than half dozen Bargain-Friday for 42c. Bleached French napkins; 16-inch size; regular price \$1.25 per dozen; Bargain-Friday, 8 for \$1.00. Bureau or table wardens; the sort that always sell for 30c a yard; lengths of 3 yards Friday for 40c.

### 36 Inch Taffeta Silk, Yard 66c

Regular Price 90c. 36-inch taffeta silk in navy blue and black; a quality that will not break or muss; strictly all silk; sold regularly at 90c; Bargain-Friday per yard, 66c.

### 75c Black Beau de Soie 54c

19-inch black beau de soie silk; soft lustrous finish; all silk; gros grain back, suitable for separate coats, skirts and shirt waist suits; worth regularly 75c; Bargain-Friday, per yard, 54c.

### 27 Inch Japanese Silk, Yd. 25c

Colorful Japanese silk in shades of cardinal, maize, old rose, reseda, navy, royal, myrtle, light blue, pink and brown; suitable for waists and full costumes; all silk; 27 inches wide; a good 60c value; you'll have to come early for these; as they may sell out before noon; Friday as long as it lasts, per yard, 25c.

### \$1.00 Velvet Cords 75c

500 yards of new velvet cords; in baby blue, pink, cream, navy blue, cardinal, russet brown and black; beautiful for evening wraps, street costumes and children's coats; 24 inches wide; worth \$1.00; Bargain-Friday, per yard, 75c.

## Lace Trimmed Chemise \$1.00

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About 40 dozen lace trimmed chemises. The surplus stock of one of New York's best makers. Cut extra long and wide; trimmed with splendid laces in dainty designs. Actual values up to \$2.00. Bargain Friday \$1.00.

## Knit Underwear at Bargain Friday Prices

Women's jersey ribbed vests, pants and tights; medium weight; regular 90c value; Bargain Friday 35c. Women's wool ribbed vests and pants; medium weight; black or white; long sleeved vests ankle length pants; worth \$1.00; Bargain Friday 75c.

## Women's \$1.00 Union Suits 75c

Women's silver gray wool mixed union suits; Onetta style or those buttoning down the front; perfect fitting; all sizes; worth regularly \$1.00; Bargain Friday 75c.

## Boys' 35c and 50c Underwear 25c

Boys' camel hair shirts and drawers; fall weight; excellent quality; regular prices 35c and 50c; Bargain Friday per garment 25c.

## Basement Bargains

Set of 6 thin blown glass table tumblers, well worth 40c; Friday, set 24c. Glass covered sugar bowls, good shapes, fair size; Friday, each 5c. Pint bottle of blueing or ammonia for laundry purposes; often sold at 10c; no phone orders; Friday, per bottle 3c. Good laundry soap, standard size bars, cheap at 5c; no phone orders; Friday 25c. 15 bars for 10c. Household paints, prepared ready for use, all colors; Friday, half pint cans 10c. Black satin liquid stove polish, always sells at 25c; Friday, per can 19c. Crystals, an excellent substitute for Sapolio; Friday, 6 cakes for 25c.

## \$1.00 Fabric Gloves 65c

Women's fabric gloves, some of the best others of silk; broken lines that have sold through the season at 50c and \$1.00; good values; a variety of styles and sizes; Friday, per pair 65c. Hair Switches At About Half Good hair switches; 18 inches long; all shades of brown and black; worth \$1.50; Friday each 75c. Gray switches; 20 inches long; worth \$2.50; Friday each \$1.50. Wavy hair switches; made in three separate strands; best of colors; worth \$5.00; Friday each \$3.00.

## Bargains in Notions

Linen corset laces; 2 1/2 yards long; gray or black; worth 25c; Friday, each 1c. Corset steels; gray, black or white; four or 5 books; all lengths; worth 5c; Friday, per pair 1c. Sewing needles, Sharps; all sizes and assorted sizes, worth 5c; Friday per package 3c. Marshall's Linen thread, black or white; all numbers, worth 5c; Friday per spool 2c. Kid hair curlers; two sizes; gloves stitched; well finished; worth 5c; Friday, per doz 2c. Needle books, containing 4 papers of assorted sewing needles, darning needles, bodkin, etc; worth 10c; Friday 4c.

## All Wool Heather Mixtures 58c Yd.

44 Inches Wide Worth 75c. All wool heather mixtures for ladies tailor made suits and coats; medium weights; can be used without lining; these come in mixtures of brown and white, blue and white and black and white; 44 inches wide; regular price 75c; Bargain Friday per yard 58c.

## 75c Black Goods 35c Yard

500 yards of fancy striped black mohair and wool batiste; widths up to 45 inches; deep, rich black; popular fabrics actually worth up to 75c; Friday per yard 35c.

## Remnants 25c Linings 9c Yard

Remnants of sleeve lining with stripes and figures; lengths from 1 to 3 yards; 38 inches wide; values up to 25c; Friday per yard 9c.

## Remnants 20c Percaleine 31c Yard

Remnants of percaleine in all colors and black suitable for skirt and waist linings; lengths from 1 to 4 yards; worth up to 20c; Friday per yard 31c.

## Drug Section Specials

Wild Rose transparent glycerine Soap; regular price 10c; Friday per cake 8c. Celluloid dressing combs; amber, shell and ivory finish; regular price 25c; Bargain Friday 15c each. Excelsior atomizer for medicinal and toilet purposes; continuous spray; worth 50c; Friday 29c. Morin's Cures Cream; for the toilet; regular price 25c; Friday 15c.

## Child's 39c Aprons 10c Each

Children's white lawn aprons; trimmed with lace and embroidery; some have hemstitched ruffles over shoulders; 25c and 39c values; Friday, each 10c.

## Child's 25c Flannel Skirts 14c

Children's outing flannel skirts with muslin body; good wide skirts with deep hem; sizes up to 5 years; regular price 25c; Friday each 14c.

## Infants' \$1.75 Long Coats 98c

Infants' long coats made of good quality cashmere; good full capes; trimmed with silk embroidery; lined throughout with satin; regular prices \$1.25 and \$1.75; Friday each 98c.



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## CAUCUS DONE AWAY WITH.

Arrangements for Republican City Convention.

Precinct Committees Sore at Councilmen.

Dominant Party Still Without Standard-bearer.

At a meeting of the Republican City Central Committee, Wednesday evening, it was decided, by practically unanimous vote, to do away with precinct caucuses for the nomination of delegates to the city convention. The caucuses are usually poorly attended, are controlled by factions, and as often as not the caucus ticket does not meet with the approval of the voters. The choice of delegates will therefore be limited to the primary election which will be held October 25. Voters can support any individuals or set of delegates whom they please, at the primary, by having a ticket cut and dried for them by the handful of voters who would attend the caucus.

**MEET IN SACRED WALLS.**  
The convention will be held October 25 in Simpson Auditorium. This will be the first political gathering ever held within those sacred walls. There is no saloon within several blocks of the place, but it being a Republican headquarters, it is not believed that it will be necessary to draw on the breweries for inspiration. Hazard's addition, the usual place for holding the convention, could not be procured for the purpose, on account of Sosa's being being held there.

**JACK WRIGHT'S TROUBLE.**  
"Jack" Wright, the new secretary of the City Central Committee, is somewhat handicapped in his work for account of the entire absence of data or records of the proceedings of the committee during the last municipal campaign. "Billy" Cord, former secretary of the committee, who is now a patient in the Southern California Hospital for the Insane at Patton, removed all the records of the committee from the headquarters in the Copeland building, to his home, at the close of the last city campaign when the headquarters were closed. Cord was the faithful custodian of the records of the committee and it was his business to bring the work of the committee up to the beginning of the present campaign. But having become demoralized and committed to the asylum, the new City Central Committee and its secretary have been unable to receive any information or assistance from the unfortunate Mr. Cord, and the records cannot be found.

**INDIGNANT COMMITTEEMEN.**  
A great many of the Republican precinct committeemen are indignant at the action of members of the City Council in making up the election boards without consulting them. It has been customary for the Councilmen to call on the precinct committeemen for both parties to suggest names of men to serve on the election boards. The County Supervisors, in making up the election boards, followed precedent and consulted the committeemen in such precinct. The Councilmen, in many instances, ignored the representatives of the parties in their respective wards, and appointed friends of their own. Kicks about this "usurpation" of committeemen's prerogatives are especially numerous in the Second Ward.

**GET YOUR TRANSFERS.**  
The period for making transfers of voters from one precinct to another, on the Great Register, expires October 12. Persons desiring to vote at the general election, November 8, must have their precinct residence and voting place officially recorded before October 14, or forfeit the right to vote. Transfers for the city election, December 5, can be made until a later date which has not yet been fixed.

**WANTED—A STANDARD BEARER.**  
With the city convention only four weeks distant, the Republicans are left without a candidate for Mayor who would be acceptable to the rank and file of the party. Horace Fridge of 444 1/2th Ward is still the only avowed candidate for the nomination, while he is warmly recommended by his immediate friends, there seems to be a general feeling that he is not well enough known to be the party's standard-bearer. Prominent members of the party and business men still remain shy of any candidate for the nomination is mentioned to them. The late John J. Matthews, Herman Silver and Pomeroy Powers is still fresh in the minds of prominent Republicans who likewise might covet the honor of being the executive chair at the City Hall, so the anxiety of a city with a Republican majority of 3000 to 3500, and no leading member of the party with courage to take the nomination for the highest office in the municipality, continues.

Although the nomination seems to go begging for someone to take it, there are plenty of Republicans who believe that a good clean man of recognized executive ability could easily defeat Meredith P. Snyder for reelection, in spite of any contact that may have been made by the machines of the two parties to elect Snyder for a fourth term. There are Democrats and Republicans who believe that Snyder would be able to secure the nomination of his party for another term. In the face of the opposition that has developed against him among the members of his own party. Whether Snyder, Kern, Parish or some other Democrat should prove to be the nominee, any sound, reputable Republican business man would seem to have a good chance to win.

**THE ALLEGED MENTIONED.**  
Among the latest mentioned in connection with the Republican nomination for Mayor, is Gen. C. C. Allen, former Adjutant General of the State. As yet Gen. Allen's candidacy has not been more definitely than rumored. As yet, he has not been asked last night he said that he was not for the nomination. Gen. Allen said he was not for the nomination and came to him that he suggested an available candidate.

but the matter had not been brought to him in any way that would justify him in giving it serious consideration. He was not seeking the nomination, and he had not heard that there was likely to be any organized attempt to thrust it upon him. He thought it strange, however, that no good Republican could be found in a city where the party so largely predominates, to take up the game of battle Mr. Snyder or some other Democrat will throw down. Although very non-committal as to his own ambitions, Gen. Allen left the impression that he might be willing to step into the breach if a younger and more acceptable standard bearer could not be found.

**POSHAT SUGGESTED.**  
The man for the Republicans to nominate for Mayor, if he would accept the office, said a prominent member of the Republican County Central Executive Committee, who himself has been mentioned as a possible candidate, "is James A. Poshat, City Superintendent of Public Schools. Poshat could be elected, hands down, over M. P. Snyder, or any other candidate the Democrats could put up."

"But could he afford to give up his present position to accept the Mayorship?" was asked.

"I see no reason why not. The emoluments of the Mayor's office are just as great and the duties no more irksome. Poshat is a man of high character and State Superintendent of Schools at the next State election, and the Mayor's office would be a stepping-stone for him as his present place. To be elected Mayor of a city of this size, after a Democrat has so long had a grip on the office, would give him great prestige as a vote-getter when he appealed to the citizens of the State to put him as the head of the State's educational establishment."

**COUNTY CAMPAIGN.**  
The Executive Committee of the Republican County Central Committee met at the Republican League Club's headquarters yesterday afternoon and transacted a lot of business relative to meeting the expense of the county campaign. It was the best attended and most enthusiastic meeting of the committee held in several years. Chairman Bradner W. Lee presided.

**HUBBARD IS HOPEFUL.**  
SAYS THE COUNTY IS SAFE.  
Former Supervisor H. C. Hubbard of Fernando, who was in the city yesterday attending a meeting of the Republican County Central Executive Committee, said he was confident of a two months' tour of the East and his observations have led him to believe that Roosevelt and Fairbanks will be elected by an overwhelming majority.

Mr. Hubbard visited in Vermont, New Hampshire, Massachusetts, New York, Indiana, Illinois, and took in the World's Fair at St. Louis. He has been talking with people from every eastern and northern State, en route, and he says he found sentiment everywhere in favor of Roosevelt in office and continuing his successful and popular administration. Business and too good a thing, he says. Mr. Hubbard says, for the people to desire, or seek, a change of administration.

"They talk about the money power of Wall Street being all right," said Hubbard. "That may be all right, but I don't care how much money is spent in the name of the Democratic ticket. It isn't a ghost of a shot of being elected."

**BAILEY COMMENDED.**  
CANDIDATE FOR SUPERVISOR.  
The Democrats have nominated Walter S. Bailey of Long Beach for Supervisor, who has brought forth a commendatory letter from New York from one who knows Mr. Bailey well. The letter says in part: "He (Bailey) is an ideal American citizen, and just the sort of man needed in public affairs. He is in the hardware business in Long Beach, but for a number of years was principal of the Long Beach High School. He owns a forty-acre ranch four miles from Long Beach, and some property in the town, every bit of it the result of hard, faithful work."

Mr. Bailey is a man of large family, three boys and three girls, and the family relations are ideal. I know that he is personally opposed to the political domination of the saloon element, and can be counted upon at all times to oppose that element. His business standing, as you probably know, is excellent. I commend Bailey to you heartily. Knowing that investigation will more than confirm all I have written."

## Odd Fellows Visit Catalina Island.



A Group of Prominent Visitors.

The Odd Fellows—a thousand of them and more—went to Catalina yesterday. Because the boats were late in getting in, nearly half of the throng did not reach the reception held in their honor at Elks' Hall last evening, with its feast of intellectual and entertaining treats. There were others not there because, well—because they had suffered too severely from phibian attacks of "mal de mer." They were the laughing stock of the rest.

A few Odd Fellows decided to stay in town during the day, and these were shown about by the local committee, open house being kept at Odd Fellows' Hall on South Main street. Among the chief of the entertainers was E. E. Overholzer, who labored from early morning until nearly midnight in a very successful endeavor to please.

Quite a number of the fraternity left for their eastern homes yesterday, participating in the publicity and in snatches on the various trains. The gathering will break up noticeably tomorrow, but many of the speakers are expected to bear the quota of returning pilgrims.

Tonight the final links will be held over the Main street hall, and fun and frolic will be the main order of programme. A humorous play of music and songs, in preparation, and the Los Angeles entertainment committee has promised an enthusiastic performance.

Elks' Hall was full last night, notwithstanding the stranded ones whom the committee had introduced by the order of programme. A humorous play of music and songs, in preparation, and the Los Angeles entertainment committee has promised an enthusiastic performance.

Mr. Walter Lindley, the chairman of the evening, was introduced by E. E. Overholzer, who labored from early morning until nearly midnight in a very successful endeavor to please.

Feminine beauty was added to mainly to the banquet as gay and entrancing as any banquet of its kind could be. There were charming, lovely, and lovely of old-fashioned type, and the party of good-natured caballeros sounded right merrily through the hall.

After fifty were seated at the sumptuous banquet, among the special guests being representatives of the family relations are ideal. I know that he is personally opposed to the political domination of the saloon element, and can be counted upon at all times to oppose that element. His business standing, as you probably know, is excellent. I commend Bailey to you heartily. Knowing that investigation will more than confirm all I have written."

**LONDON'S NEW LORD MAYOR.**  
LONDON, Sept. 29.—Alderman John Pound, chairman of the London General Sanitary Board, Limited, was today chosen Lord Mayor of London for the ensuing year. Alderman Pound had succeeded Sir James Thomson Ritchie as Lord Mayor. Mr. Pound is head of the firm of John Pound & Co., and was elected alderman of Aldgate ward in 1892. He is past master of the Royal Society of Arts, and has been the Pantheon Company and past master of the Fruitlers Company.

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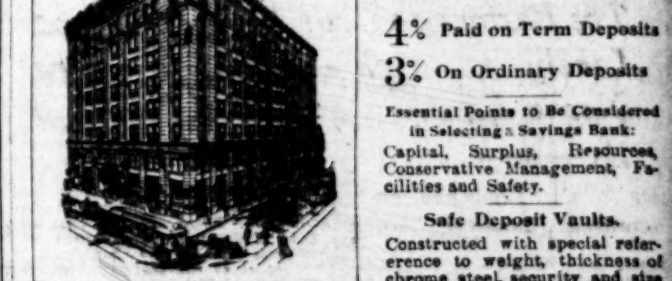
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## A NOTICE SERVED ON ALL TRUSTS.

*The Farmer and His Mail—Panama Likely to Seek Annexation—The Negro Question as it is—Record of the Tariff.*

(COMPILED, ARRANGED AND EDITORIALY PRESENTED BY THE TIMES.)

Trusts Can't Handle Him.

"No bargaining with the trusts; no understanding or arrangement about campaign subscriptions."

This is the edict that has gone forth at Republican national headquarters, and the ukase comes from no other than President Roosevelt himself. It is needless to say the injunction will be obeyed. The matter came up in this way. Certain wealthy men of New York, Republicans, and presumably interested in the success of the national ticket, were invited to subscribe as individuals to the campaign fund. They chose to discuss the proposal, not as individuals, but as representatives of industrial trusts in which they are heavily interested. They wanted to know what was to be the policy of the Roosevelt administration toward their corporations. What were they to expect? What could Chairman Cady and Treasurer Bliss say to them in the way of assurance? They were not disposed to be exacting or unreasonable, but it was only natural for them to want to know, you know.

When the matter was referred to President Roosevelt, as it was during the last few days, the answer came promptly enough. There could not even be a discussion of the question. No "understanding" could be arrived at, no "arrangement" could be made. The decision was not only rendered promptly, but it was handed down in vigorous and emphatic terms. It was a decision which I should like to quote, but cannot under pledge me to do.

This is the second time Mr. Roosevelt has refused to dicker with the trust people. Last winter, before the death of Senator Hanna, and when it was thought by some people that there was doubt about the President's nomination for a second term, certain rich men of this city sent an envoy as a publican to Washington to inquire what assurances could be had of the policy of the President toward the trusts after March 4. Then, as now, the response was quick and emphatic. Moreover, that occasion the facts were obtained, and some of the things that were said, and publication of the story of the failure to place President Roosevelt "in leading strings" to banish him created quite a sensation. (Walter Wellman in Chicago Record-Herald.)

The Farmer and His Mail.

Complaints of Republican extravagance having been heard from Esopus, it will be found interesting to study for a moment one branch of the government service that has resulted, at considerable and justified cost, in enormous advantage to a great and useful element of the nation's population. Democrats denouncing the alleged extravagance will find small sympathy among the farmers who are using the rural free delivery system.

Not alone in the postal service, but in all the government departments serving the people and thus requiring large outlays of money, there is one important point which is overlooked by those who make these charges of extravagance. This is the vast growth in population and in the development of the nation's resources in general since the Democratic party was last in power. A full loaf costs more than a half of one, but it is infinitely more satisfying and worth the price.

That is the way the farmer feels about the rural free delivery system. This innovation, the product of Republicanism, was first tried on a small scale in 1892, there being forty-four routes established at a cost of \$40,000. Such was the success achieved that in 1896 there were 1276 routes, and there are today over 24,000 of them, covering two-thirds of the country's territory possessing a density of population sufficient to make it eligible to this beneficial benefit. The remaining third of available territory wants the service as soon as it can get it, and it will be supplied as soon as it is feasible. The system will cost this year \$200,000,000, and it is worth it. Like many another count in the budget, it is justified by Democracy against dominant Republicanism, this particular item of "extravagance" has benefited vast numbers of people upon whose backs the nation depends for its subsistence. As each route taken care of an average of 100 families, there are over 2,400,000 farmers' families which have been brought into touch with the outlying world through the medium of this splendid service. Its benefits are to them far-reaching, facilitating the reception of both private and business mail. It means to them the saving of time, which is money, and increased opportunities for making actual money through the prompt reception of business correspondence, market reports and daily papers.

It will be a difficult thing for the Democrats to counter the popularity of the rural free delivery routes that are justified by this particular "extravagance." (Syracuse Post-Standard.)

Roosevelt Did It.

The republic of Panama, has approximately 31,000 square miles of territory and a population of 240,000. She has Maine's area and a little less than half of Maine's population, or about the same number as Vermont. Standing alone, the Panama republic is feeble, except as she is braced up by the United States protection.

Panama's interests will quickly invite a movement for annexation. As part of the United States territory for a few years and a State afterward—Panama will be able to make her mark in the world. When the stars and stripes are raised all over the little republic, that 240,000 population will soon double and triple. The isthmian country has large natural resources. These will be developed after she comes under our flag. American and foreign capital will flow into Panama in streams which will surprise its inhabitants. The recent political and financial largely outnumbered by a different sort of a race from that which has inhabited the isthmus heretofore, and a career will be opened to her people. All this destiny is partly manifest in the United States and to the world. The brightest day in Panama's history was the day in which, through her canal treaty, she came under the guardianship of the United States and started on the road to annexation. (Louis Globe-Democrat.)

Money Question Open.

The money question has seemed to be settled at various times, but the latest has been revived recently. The miles of sound money whenever they have thought that they might be successful.

The assumption that the gold stand-

advanced \$4,000,000 to the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, which latter amount is to be returned to the government. If Mr. Parker will deduct his personal deficit of \$25,000,000 from the \$4,000,000 paid for the purchase of the Panama Canal and the encouragement of an exposition of world-wide scope and importance, he would find a balance of \$12,000,000 and upward on the other side of the ledger. (Chicago Chronicle.)

Experience and Theory.

It is impossible to suppose that it just happened that the country flourished in every period of high tariffs and was profoundly depressed in periods of low tariffs. There is a strong expression which speaks of a dated one as having "got his." It would seem that long ago the country had got her through bumbling with the tariff, and that it would not be necessary to argue with any intelligent citizen to convince him that protection is the thing for America. Yet every four years the issue has to be met. A big political party still clings to the free trade doctrine, while the voice of the theorist, while closing their ears to the teachings which come so convincingly from the mouth of experience. (Kansas City Journal.)

Imperialism.

With the issue of imperialism raised by the Esopus and Mr. Bryan—so far as they dare raise any issue, there is a total forgetfulness on their part of the weapons against which imperialism cannot prevail. Senator Fairbanks happily demolished the flimsy structure of imperialism raised by the Esopus and Mr. Bryan—and built on fears without foundation, when he said, in his formal letter of acceptance: "Congress has authorized a representative assembly to be chosen in due time by the people of the islands. The box is the equal box of imperialism. No one need have any grave concern with respect to the future of the archipelago if the United States goes forward as heretofore inspired by the same lofty purpose which has characterized the administration of Presidents McKinley and Roosevelt."

That which is true of the Philippines is true in an immeasurably greater degree of the islands of the Pacific. The American people. The cry of imperialism is a cry of distrust of popular government, and an assertion that the American people are incapable of self-government and willing—with the impregnable ballot in their hands—tamely to submit to the rule of a few instead of the rule of the masses.

It is an issue that would be insulting if it were not for the fact that Senator Fairbanks has most happily demonstrated the fact. (Cincinnati Commercial-Tribune.)

Man Severely Injured Under Load of Iron Beams Has Reason to be Thankful.

Charles Kelly, a young man who has been employed by the Llewellyn Iron Works, escaped death yesterday by a scratch. He and several other men were unloading iron beams at the Maier & Zobelien brewery when four of the heavy pieces slid from the wagon and crushed Kelly to the ground all in a bunch.

Two of his companions released him, and impressing into service a horse and buggy that stood near by, drove frantically to the Receiving Hospital with the bleeding man. His injuries consisted of several cuts on the head from which the blood flowed, and many bruises all over. The only reasonable explanation why Kelly was not killed is that a post holding the scaffolding for the beams was loose, and the fall in such a way as to save him. He was sent to his home after having his wounds dressed, with reason to be thankful.

BUFFALO ALDERMEN INDICTED.

BUFFALO (N. Y.) Sept. 29.—As a result of Dist. Atty. Countsworth's investigation of charges of grafting on the part of city officials, three aldermen and four former aldermen have been indicted. They are John Thomas, Harry, Henry, Moore, D. F. Fierce, aldermen, and Edward C. Bester, Louis G. Roedel, Henry G. Schneider and John G. Busch, former aldermen. All were arraigned today and pleaded not guilty. Bail was fixed at \$1500 each, and was furnished by all.

ARMENIANS MASSACRED.

PARIS, Sept. 29.—The Temps this afternoon publishes a dispatch from Constantinople which says that private information had been received there to the effect that the village of Ramas, Armenia, was yesterday the scene of a massacre of Armenians by Kurds. Details are lacking.

PLAIN TALK.

Food for Thought There, Too.

"Having found out for myself the food that enables me to get the most pleasure out of life I consider it a duty to tell someone else my experience," says a Massachusetts woman.

"Born with a weak and sensitive stomach, I suffered long with indigestion and the many ills arising from it, general constipation, weakness of the bowels together with catarrhal inflammation and rheumatism of every form and fashion, with a tremendous amount of suffering. I had what is known as deposits of brick dust and uric acid, with almost every other imaginable ailment which such a condition can produce."

"Coming to the conclusion that I must eat to live and not live to eat, I began looking about to find the best way, and among the many foods tested was Grape-Nuts. I did not use it as a general food or exclusively, but simply ate it once a day, either at morning or night on an empty stomach and softened in warm cream or milk with a little sugar, bread or butter or cooked or raw fruit. Up to this time I had tried every known remedy for constipation and had to rely on the medicines, although I continually got worse instead of better, within a short time the Grape-Nuts food (which always digested) had toned up my whole system and digestive organs in particular until every bit of constipation and bowel trouble disappeared and I had good-bye to all the catarrhs."

"Now after using Grape-Nuts two years I still think it delicious. My rheumatism is all gone, also the constipation, something I had never even hoped for, never have a headache nowadays, my eyesight and hearing are excellent for one of my age but had given me much trouble until I suffered from constipation. I am now past eighty years of age but walk out and enjoy it. Feel strong and well and I know the Grape-Nuts has given added vigor to my brain, too. It would be very gratifying to me to know that my letter had helped show others the way to a proper diet that has cured my stomach and bowel trouble." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

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## THE CITY IN BRIEF.

### NEWS AND BUSINESS.

#### Child-study Officers.

The Staunton Avenue Child Study Circle reorganized yesterday with the following officers: President, Mrs. William Levin; vice-president, Mrs. C. D. Jackson; secretary, Mrs. Leon; treasurer, Mrs. Van Leoven.

#### Park Church Concert.

A benefit concert will be given at the Park Congregational Church this evening, to aid the Sunday-school. The Pacific Bell Ringers will give several numbers and there will be numerous vocal solos, piano solos and readings.

#### European Seal Sale.

Seats for the final concert of the European Ladies' Chorus of Columbus, to be given tomorrow evening under the auspices of the Ohio society will be placed on sale at Bartlett's music store this morning at 9 o'clock.

#### Commissioner's Tour.

Frank P. Sargent, United States Commissioner of Immigration, is spending a few days in Los Angeles en route to San Diego. Commissioner Sargent is out from Washington on one of his tours of inspection, including the length of the Pacific Coast.

#### Two Bankrupts.

James A. Smith of Arroyo has been adjudged a bankrupt in the United States District Court. His scheduled liabilities are \$330.73, and his assets \$322.68. Frank H. Minkler of Fresno has filed a petition in bankruptcy, stating his liabilities as \$262.16, without assets. It was moving.

Arthur Gifford, 18 years old, of No. 148 Lake street, was thrown to the ground yesterday morning while attempting to board a moving car at Alvarado and Seventh streets. He was rendered unconscious but was revived at the Receiving Hospital.

#### Parlor Meeting Today.

The Boye Heights W.C.T.U. will have a parlor meeting this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. W. N. Edwards, No. 348 Fickett street. Mrs. Lucy S. Blanchard will speak on "Why I Should Wear the White Ribbon." Refreshments will be served.

#### Tied to Telephone Pole.

Ovid Johnson, an insane Swede, terrorized the residents of East Ninth street early last evening by parading the thoroughfare and shouting at the top of his voice. He was finally captured and tied to a telephone pole while awaiting the arrival of the police. Johnson seems to be suffering from a form of religious dementia.

#### Accomplices of Beggs?

Earl Snow, the reputed accomplice of Addison Beggs, the notorious young bicycle thief, has been arrested in Oakland. The police were notified yesterday morning of the boy's apprehension and an officer was sent to bring him back on a charge of burglary. Beggs in his confession implicated Snow, who is only 15.

#### Pipe Works Fire.

Fire of unknown origin damaged the pipe works of J. D. Hooker at Railroad road and Magdalena street to the extent of \$300, early yesterday morning. The blaze was discovered at 6 o'clock in a shack occupied by A. Boradi, a carpenter, in the rear of the Lewellyn Iron Works, and was communicated to the pipe works. The greatest damage was done to the machinery.

#### Loyal Legion Picnic.

The Loyal Temperance Legion of Los Angeles and Santa Fe Springs will have a picnic at Eastlake Park tomorrow. Guests of the legion will be the children of the Los Angeles Orphan Home on Alpine street, and a number of the inmates of the Receiving Home. A programme of athletic sports and games has been arranged for the forenoon, and in the afternoon Mrs. Lillian W. Hart of South Pasadena will give a "chalk talk."

#### Even Chance for Del Valle.

Joseph Del Valle, the driver of fire engine No. 4, who was seriously injured Wednesday night, still hovers between life and death. He was removed from the Receiving Hospital yesterday morning to the home of his aunt, Mrs. C. Sepulveda, No. 234 South Griffin avenue. Dr. Choate, the attending physician, says his patient has about an even chance for recovery. His condition late last night, while not considered critical, was dangerous.

#### Who Hit Lockridge?

P. S. Lockridge, a barber of No. 712 Turner street, is suffering from a fractured skull, sustained during an altercation with his wife and son. Lockridge thinks the son struck him and the son says he didn't. Lockridge has refused to talk to the police and open relations occurred several weeks ago. The man's condition is said to be serious.

#### After Chinese Lottery.

So rapid has been the growth of the Chinese lottery games throughout the business section of the city recently that the Chief of Police is taking active steps to suppress the evil. Officers have been specially detailed to ferret out the elusive slant-eyed Celestials. Charles Gilm and Chew Goo, owners of the little Goldessa Chance, were caught in the dragnet yesterday. They are charged with having lottery tickets in their possession.

#### Homes and Subdivisions.

Mrs. Lillie Booth, Ada G. Hicks and Eva Shrader, heirs of the late S. A. Mattison, have sold to A. N. Davidson, through the agency of W. O. Lewis & Co., forty acres, unimproved, lying between San Marino and Elverta streets, Western avenue and the grounds of the Country Club; consideration named, \$60,000. Buyer will subdivide. Dr. R. A. Campbell has purchased of Hon. John D. Works, through Wright & Callender, 1816 feet, with a nine-room two-story frame dwelling, on the west side of Orchard avenue, between Adams and Twenty-ninth streets; consideration named, \$10,000. Buyer will occupy.

#### October Weather.

The Weather Bureau's monthly statement of averages containing data covering a period of twenty-seven years, with reference to October weather, was issued yesterday. The average precipitation for the month is .74 of an inch. The greatest monthly precipitation was in 1883, 6.56 inches. The least was in 1891, when there was no rain during the month. The heaviest rainfall for any one day was 2.62 inches on October 21, 1889. The prevailing winds have been from the west and their velocity has averaged four miles per hour. The highest velocity of the wind was thirty-four miles per hour from the northeast on October 1, 1887.

#### BREVITIES.

Henry J. Kramer will form a juvenile dancing class Saturday, October 1, 1:30. Adult beginners' class, Monday evening, October 2. Classes in physical training and esthetic fancy dancing, beginning October 17. Miss May Field Brown, instructor, diploma, Gilbert Normal School of Dancing, Boston. References required. 932 Grand avenue.

Full Opening, Saturday, October 1. I take pleasure in announcing the Fall Opening of a large and select line of

millinery. Also, a line of first-class hair goods and toilet articles. A most cordial invitation is extended to all. C. A. King, 526 South Broadway.

Enroll today for Children's classes, Cummock School. Many new and interesting features. Part of work out of doors. Special classes for boys. Classes begin next week, afternoons and Saturday morning. Special announcement on request, 1606 Figueroa st.

The "Times" Home "phone number has been changed from Exchange 3 to "The Times." Simply ask the operator for "The Times," no prefix or number being necessary.

Dr. G. W. Williamson of the Electro Medical Clinic has moved his office to corner of Second and Broadway, rooms 211, 212, over Sun Drug Store.

Special display of imported hats all this week at The Gertrude Millinery Shop, suite 129, Potomac block, over the Villa de Paris.

Cummock School registration now in progress. Children's enrollment Saturday. Fall term opens Monday, Oct. 3, 1606 Figueroa st.

School of Art and Design, Westlake, register now; term begins Oct. 1. Send for illustrated catalogue, Home 7513.

Marlborough School for Girls, reopens October 2. Mrs. Caswell, the principal, at home hereafter from 1 to 4 p.m.

The San Francisco office of The Times is located in room 10, Chronicle Building, Telephone Red 5243.

Pineat service, best dinners at Hotel Rosslyn Cafe, 5 to 8 p.m., for 50c; short orders all day.

Messengers wanted, with bicycles, at Western Union Telegraph Office, First and Spring streets.

Edgar Palmer, dentist, removed to residence, 922 Bonnie Brae. Phone 3007. Stocks at fair squares. Pennell's.

#### MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Andrew A. Olivera, aged 30, a native of California, and Mrs. Coline M. de Gonzalez, aged 22, a native of Illinois; both residents of Los Angeles.

Robert O. Williams, aged 27, a native of Kansas, and Katherine L. Luckensmeyer, aged 29, a native of Minnesota; both residents of Los Angeles.

Hollis J. Backus, aged 20, a native of Pennsylvania, and Mable Wallace, aged 20, a native of Maine; both residents of Los Angeles.

Charles D. Miller, aged 49, a native of Rhode Island, and Agnes Wall, aged 21, a native of Washington; both residents of Los Angeles.

John W. Burton, aged 34, a native of Alabama, and Gertrude Robinson, aged 27, a native of Alabama; both residents of Los Angeles.

William W. Edwards, aged 25, a native of Illinois, and Mattie B. Caldwell, aged 22, a native of California; both residents of Los Angeles.

T. Olin Abernathy, aged 28, a native of Missouri, and Edna Terrell, aged 28, a native of Illinois; both residents of Los Angeles.

Overton M. Dickerson, aged 28, a native of Kentucky, and resident of Palmdale, and Lou W. Boshers, aged 17, a native of Tennessee, and resident of Palmdale.

Benjamin F. Guise, aged 27, a native of Ohio, and resident of Pasadena, and Maude L. King, aged 23, a native of Washington, and resident of Los Angeles.

James E. Murdock, aged 66, a native of Indiana, and Lillian E. Galloway, aged 35, a native of Wisconsin; both residents of Los Angeles.

John M. Smith, aged 23, a native of Austria, and Fannie Black, aged 34, a native of Germany; both residents of Pasadena.

#### DEATH RECORD.

ROBINSON—At the residence of his brother, W. D. Robinson, No. 148 Oxford avenue, September 29, 1904, H. A. Robinson, aged 34 years, formerly of Detroit, Mich.; formerly of Toronto, Can.; member of Detroit Commandery, No. 1, Knights Templar, of Detroit, Mich.

WHITTAKER—At Pine, Cal., September 28, 1904, Isaac Whittaker, aged 59 years. Funeral services will be held at home of Rosemary Bros. Co., Broadway and Sixth, at 10:30 o'clock today (Friday). Friends invited. Interment Regedale.

REED—At Reed, aged 77 years 6 months 21 days. Funeral from late residence, 1614 North Main street, at 2 p.m. Saturday. Interment Regedale.

WHITFIELD—In Los Angeles, September 29, 1904, Arthur L. Wright, aged 60 years. Funeral services at the family residence, No. 321 Broadway, at 10:30 a.m. September 30, at 2 p.m. Friends invited. A widow, two daughters and a son survive him.

SOUTH GATE LODGE, No. 329, F. & A. M., will confer the third degree this (Friday) evening.

F. H. White, Secretary.

Los Angeles Transfer Co., 141 W. 5th, will check baggage at rail terminals to any point. Tel. M. 2 of 26. Home 243.

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Notice. My wife, Bertha E. Macy (nee Bertha E. Hubbert) formerly 641 South Los Angeles street, having left by will and hand, I will not be responsible for any debts incurred by her. She died July 10, September 17, 1904, by W. V. MACY.

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In order to introduce this department we have had constructed a giant grab bag of all boys and girls accompanied by their parents, will be allowed to take a free grab out of this bag on opening day—Saturday. The packages will contain such gifts as sail boats, purses, note books, building blocks, automatic toys, dolls, boys' caps, miniature wrist bags, needle cases, doll dishes, dolls, etc., in all over 1000 free gifts. It is not necessary to purchase anything but children must be accompanied by parents. On Saturday, all day and evening.

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He made the first offer yesterday to a Times reporter and a political manager to sell the votes in a solid block of 15,000 for the modest sum of \$25.

He said he could guarantee delivery at election time for any candidate the purchaser would name.

He has made the same proposal to a number of candidates in the city campaign. He claims that the working of the scheme is proved by the election of Dr. Houghton (Arthur Houghton) spook doctor, hypnotist, etc., etc., as Sixth Ward Councilman.

He is known around town as "Romeo," and the time he has spent at the Concordia Club, Romeo says he is the agent who supplies all the Los Angeles spook mediums every two months with a "dope book" containing secret information which enables them to know points about the family history of every sucker who comes to consult them.

His scheme is to instruct each medium in the city to bring messages from the spirit world to every sucker who has a vote.

**DEAD AUNTS TO ORDER.**

Dead Aunt Marys and Uncle Jacks will appear to trustful suckers and tell them out of the wisdom of the unseen world, to vote for and work for Blank to be filled in by Romeo for a valuable consideration, to wit, \$25.

This would sound like a poor grafting scheme of a political scavenger at first.

Tomlinson offers proof, however. As a proof that he is truly on the inside of the spook circles here, he disclosed startling facts to the Times. He told an intimate story of the miserable tricks worked by the "mediums" here in carrying out of paper and ink, and in the carrying out of the "dope book" here.

He related with cynical amusement the inner workings of a famous seance carried out by unbelievers in this city some time ago.

He says these tricks have so bound the suckers in their faith that 20,000 of them can be sold like pigs at an election in Los Angeles. Being a conservative man, he cuts down the number he has for sale to 15,000, and says he can "deliver the goods," perhaps.

A meeting was arranged yesterday afternoon in a room at the Hotel California, before witnesses, between the supposed political manager, a Times reporter and this greasy fellow. A man who has no shame offering votes for sale is a unique character.

**HE'S SO HUMBLE.**

This one is like Uriah Heap. He acts all the time as though he were just getting ready to dodge something.

He had been waiting fifteen minutes for the meeting, and it had told on his nerves. He is a little bit of a nervous wreck.

He was a greasy derby hat jammed down over his ears; his face was unshaven; he had a nervous, shifty and ragged. He was pattingly eager. Some of the talk was half jocular. He would smile wanly, and eagerly drag back to the talk of people who would not believe him.

He was so eager to name the price, yet dared not speak of money until just before the end of the interview. It was so afraid it might get into a newspaper.

One one led the way to an inner room, and the man seated himself feverishly at one side of the table. His eyes fairly glowed as he unfolded his scheme.

"This," he said, like an inventor with a pet working drawing, "is a reliable method of getting votes, but it is talked in quick, eager words."

He was made to understand that the reporter had a candidate for Street Superintendent whose feet were very small, and who would not come out for office unless he had some assured support to begin with.

"This is the thing," he said, "you can own them absolutely. I have heard of men dying for a political office, but I never have heard of them dying for politics. Voting for this candidate will become religion for them when they get it from the mediums."

"I don't believe there is anything they wouldn't do if they got a message from a medium to do it. You see?"

**HORRIBLE EXAMPLE.**

"Here, you're a medium and I am a sucker. You go into a trance and say: 'Aunt Mary is here.' She says that all will come out right for you. She says that great interest is being taken on the other side in this city election. She says it will be for your good to vote for and do all you can to elect a man named—"

Little Romeo came out of his fake trance and smiled his quick, nervous smile. "You see? There you are."

"How do I know you can make it work?" said the political man.

Worked for Dr. Houghton," he said instantly.

"How did it work for Dr. Houghton?" The man looked up quickly out of his artificial bloodshot eyes, and said suddenly, "You won't get anything out of me."

The political manager showed signs of retiring in high disgust.

"Oh, of course," he said, "you get me up here and tell me a lot of hot air about 15,000 votes. I suppose the idea is that I am to turn the money over to you, whom I never saw before, and you are to come around after election and tell me all your spooks voted for me. What do you take me for?"

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## EVEN MONEY ON WALCOTT.

How San Franciscans Look on Tonight's Fight.

Experts Not Sure if Will be "Square" Contest.

Automobiles Held for Duty. Looloo's Ballplay.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES)

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 29.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) From today's developments it seems that neither Gans nor Walcott is to be the favorite with betters in their battle tomorrow night in Woodward's Pavilion. The first wager of consequence was \$100 at even, the man who took the Walcott end of it declaring that he has \$1000 more to place on the same terms. Jack Collins is an admirer of the Barbados Demon, who is willing to gamble on his chances. Aside from this, there is little betting on the fight, as most experts are undecided whether the fight will be on "the square" or not. Both men took things easy today. Gans being under weight. When he ended work yesterday, he weighed exactly 164½, while Walcott weighed 140. The official measurements taken yesterday show the following:

(Gans—Height, 5 ft. 6 in.; weight, 136½ pounds; chest, 34 in.; waist, 28 in.; forearm, 10 in.; biceps, 11½ in.; thigh, 20 in.; calf, 12 in.; reach, 64½ in. Walcott—Height, 5 ft. 1½ in.; weight, 141 pounds; chest, 34½ in.; waist, 28½ in.; forearm, 11 in.; biceps, 14 in.; thigh, 22 in.; calf, 14 in.; reach, 65 in.)

LOU DILLON'S LAURELS.

PASTEST CONSECUTIVE MILES.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES)

CLEVELAND (O.) Sept. 29.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) Lou Dillon, the noble little trotting horse, has won fresh laurels. Driven by William Sanders in work, she has trotted the fastest two consecutive miles ever placed to the credit of any horse that ever lived, when she stopped the first mile in 2:05. After a rest of twenty-five minutes, she came out again and repeated the trick in 2:03. The workout was to get the mare in shape for her debut with Maj. Delmar at Memphis in October. The record was all the more remarkable from the fact that the track next to the pole was from recent rains, and the trotting queen was forced to take third position from the rail, making the miles long ones.

Sanders declares that the mare is faster now than ever before, and shows no signs of having been affected by her recent sickness. The time by quarters for the first heat was 0:36, 1:01, 1:32 and 2:02; second heat, 0:33, 1:03, 1:33, 2:03.

JOCKEY CLUB STAKES.

MAHER RIDES THE WINNER.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.)

LONDON, Sept. 29.—(By Atlantic Cable.) Rock Sand, ridden by Maher, the American jockey, won the race for the Jockey Club Stakes at the first October meeting at Newmarket today. Henry the First was second and William Rufus was third. The last named horse was ridden by Martin, the American jockey. Ten horses started in the race. The Jockey Club Stakes are of 1000 sovereigns, for three-year-olds and up. Distance one mile and three-quarters. Great interest was taken in the race because of the entry of a large number of well-known horses. The betting was 5 to 2 against Rock Sand and Henry the First, while Martin's mount started at 40 to 1 against it. Rock Sand was able to start, but suffering from an inflamed leg, and until this morning it was doubtful whether he would be able to start. He won by a length and a half. St. Amant, this year's fourth place, could not even get away.

RACING AUTOMOBILES HELD.

CUSTOMS DUES NOT PAID.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.)

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—Four French automobiles brought here from Paris to compete in the Vanderbilt cup race on Long Island, in October, are held at the customhouse pending the payment of duties amounting to \$16,000. The cars, of 20 H. P. each, arrived on a French steamer last Sunday. By an arrangement with the Treasury Department, all the foreign cars entered for the race were, it was declared by the consular, to have been admitted duty free on condition that they were to be deported within ninety days. However, the machines were appraised at \$16,000 each and the customhouse officials announced that they would be held until the full sum had been paid. The hitch occurred because of the fact that the shippers failed to declare their purpose when consigning the machines, so they are now being held by the Treasury Department as machines that are brought over to be sold.

The cars are favorites of the Vanderbilt race, three of them being entered for the event and the fourth being a substitute. A special representative was sent to Washington to intercede with the Treasury Department, but failed, and it is likely that only four of the automobiles will be taken from the customhouse for the race.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

PHILLIPS CLOSE A SERIES.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.)

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 29.—By winning one game of today's double-header, the Philadelphia American League team won the season's series with St. Louis by a score of eleven games to ten. Marbury won the contest for Philadelphia by knocking the ball into the left field bleachers for a home run in the seventh inning. Glade proved invincible for St. Louis in the second game, and the locals won easily. Attendance 3200.

Score, first game:

St. Louis, 0; hits, 2; errors, 1.

Batteries—Moran and Egan; Waddell and Schreck.

Second game:

Philadelphia, 1; hits, 10; errors, 1.

Batteries—Glade and Sargent; Henley and Noonan.

CLEVELAND-BOSTON.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.)

CLEVELAND (O.) Sept. 29.—Cleveland made it three straight from Boston today, sending the champions into second place. Attendance 2100.

Score:

Cleveland, 4; hits, 9; errors, 1.

Boston, 1; hits, 8; errors, 1.

# SMALL GAMES CALLED OFF.

NO COMPETITION TOMORROW IN FOOTBALL PLAY.

Beth Occidental and St. Vincent's Teams Doing Good Work in Their Practice—Catholics Will Take a Lot of Beating—Indians Leave for the North.

Present indications promise that there will be only one game of football in this city tomorrow, and that will be at Prager Park, when St. Vincent's College and Occidental come together. The announced game between U.S.C.'s great team and the picked eleven from the alumni is off, and the Los Angeles High School-Harvard affair scheduled for tomorrow will be played late in November, if it is played at all. Harvard does not seem to be in the very best of form; the boys can't do it by sitting on the benches and thinking, and no serious disposition to dig into work has been evidenced, although the school has had games scheduled.

Coach Haggerty's policy of keeping his men under secret practice has been criticised pretty harshly without any real reason, as it is, after all, none but Haggerty's business whether his men do their preparatory stunts behind closed doors or in the open.

Vincent's coach doubts thinks that too much personal publicity before the first game has been given to the team.

His refusal to give out the names of his team before he knew who would play the position on any one brought down on him had a very much uncalculated for at the hands of one of the evening papers whose chief characteristic is its unflinching tendency to knock at the wrong time.

Haggerty has taken a bunch of boys who were anything but promising a month ago and has whipped them into a very presentable line-up with twenty-five victories in a row.

Haggerty will not know until this afternoon how his men will go in the game, as he has not yet seen them.

He is to give out what may prove to be a bogus line-up. All the boys have worked faithfully and well, the S.V.C. brand is probably the best in the city, and they have arranged to play nearly 200 pounds in condition, and bids fair to be the best man in his position in the Southwestern league.

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**ROOSEVELT AND FAIRBANKS.**

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GEORGE ROOSEVELT.

## BUSINESS.

Liberal sales by long and favorable weather conditions had a depressing influence on the Chicago market. The close was weak, at 111 3/4-111 7/8 for December and 112 3/8 for May. The New York stock market was subjected today to very heavy realizing, and prices were lower in consequence.

## THE PANAMA ISSUE.

Ludicrous beyond description are the efforts of Democratic statesmen, orators and editors to discredit the action of the President in connection with the Panama Canal, by reason of which action the unquestioned right to build the great waterway was secured, and the actual work of construction was made possible. In his letter of acceptance, Judge Parker declares that "the Panama route having been selected, the building of the canal should be pressed to completion with all reasonable expedition." Also that "under the laws of the United States, the authority is imposed upon the Executive to proceed with due diligence to the construction of the canal, and that that duty should be promptly performed." In the same breath, Judge Parker questions the methods by which the President acquired the Panama Canal route, and declares that "the statement that by acquiring the rights to the canal a great public work was assured to the people of the United States, is not a sufficient answer to the charge of violation of national good faith." He does not make a direct charge that national good faith has been violated. In fact, his whole attempted arraignment of the administration for its action in the Panama Canal matter is by insinuating rather than by direct attack. There are many persons, according to Judge Parker, who hold that "adherence to precedent, whether it works for good or ill, will have a more beneficial effect on our future destiny than all our material upbuilding, and that we should ever remember that the idea of doing a wrong to a smaller weaker nation than we, that even all mankind may have a resultant good, is repugnant to the principles upon which our government is founded."

All this is mere demagogic twaddle, and Judge Parker acknowledges it to be such, in effect, when he declares that notwithstanding the "wrong" done by the President, we should go ahead with the construction of the canal "with all reasonable expedition." It will be noticed that he does not directly charge that any wrong has been done. He contents himself with setting up a man of straw, Quixote-like, and then attempting to destroy it. Judge Parker says in substance, though not in precise terms, that we acquired the canal route by illegitimate means, "repugnant to the principles upon which our government was founded," but that, having acquired it, we should by all means keep it, and proceed with due diligence to the construction of the canal. Now it is evident to every man of sense that if the President wrongfully acquired the right to build the canal, we should relinquish it. The construction of the canal cannot possibly right the wrong, if a wrong was committed. When our Democratic friends say "go ahead and build the canal," they virtually endorse the steps by which the right of way was acquired. By the same token they virtually admit that the good accomplished far outweighs any possible evil, and confess that the action of the President was right. If those would-be faultfinders had the courage to come out frankly and say that if placed in power they will undo what the President has accomplished, and will attempt to accomplish the same results in their own quaint, Japanese way, they would certainly be entitled to the concession of sincerity. As the case stands, they are only playing to the galleries, and the music is of so poor a quality that even the galleries will repudiate it.

If the President had not seen fit to "take occasion by the hand" in this Panama affair, we should probably have been haggling and gabbling over the question for the next twenty-five to fifty years, and should have been no nearer to agreement at the end of that time than we were when we began. If the President's course in this matter needed any defense, his letter of acceptance would furnish it. "Our opponents can criticize what we did in Panama," he says, "only on condition of mistaking what was done. The administration behaved throughout, not only with good faith, but with extraordinary patience and large generosity toward those with whom it dealt. It acted in strict compliance with the law passed by Congress. Had not Panama

been promptly recognized, and the transit across the isthmus kept open, in accordance with our treaty rights and obligations, there would have ensued endless guerrilla warfare and possibly foreign complications, and the chance of building the canal would have been deferred, certainly for years, perhaps for a generation or more."

The action taken by the President was the only action that could have been taken under the circumstances to insure the construction of the canal. The President's words are critics, in urging the construction of the canal under the rights secured, virtually acquiesce in and sustain the course pursued by him in securing those rights. In no sense did he exceed his authority under the Constitution, nor did he violate any law of the land.

Let the people decide between the President and his accusers.

## TAKE NONE BUT A CENTRAL SITE.

Before the City Council yesterday appeared representatives of the Library Board, recommending that the Council purchase for a library site a tract of land on Eleventh street, extending from Figueroa to Flower streets, for the sum of \$81,500. The site measures 320,000 feet, and the proposition is that the city shall pay installments of \$20,000 per year upon the principal. The proposition was referred to the Finance Committee of the Council.

It is apparent without much reflection that the proposed site is not a suitable one for a public library. Its unsuitableness is due principally to the fact that its location is not central. Most of the patrons of the public library would be compelled to pay two car fares in making a trip to the business section of the city and the library, if the latter were located on the proposed site. It is needless to say that the public library should be so located as to be as easily accessible as possible to all parts of the city. The proposed Eleventh-street site would unnecessarily inconvenience a majority of the patrons of the library; especially those living in the northwest section, in East Los Angeles, on Boyle Heights and in the southeastern part of the city.

Another consideration which ought to have great weight in the selection of a library site is the desirability of grouping the public buildings within as small a radius as is practicable. The new government building soon to be erected at the corner of Spring and Temple streets will be visited by thousands who would find it a great convenience to have the public library not far away. A new City Hall will soon be required, and it would certainly be advisable to locate it near the Courthouse, in view of the probable early consolidation of the city and county governments. In fact, as we have said, it should be the stated policy to group all public buildings within the smallest practicable radius. The disadvantages of scattering them are obvious.

The city is not yet in a position to issue bonds for a public library building. If bonds are to be issued for any purpose, it should be for a new City Hall, which might be made practically an enlargement of the Courthouse. The debt of the city is now higher than it ought to be, and the School Board is already clamoring for some \$200,000 more for that department. If we are to construct new buildings, we should first construct those that are most needed.

To sum up, then, The Times is opposed to the library site suggested. It is also opposed to the construction of a new library building at this time, and it is in favor of looking forward to the time when there shall be but one city and county government, and the construction of buildings which shall be suitable for the joint uses of such a government.

Finally, we favor grouping the various public buildings within the smallest practicable space.

The Rev. Silas Swallow, prohibition candidate for President, must think he stands a show, since he takes so much trouble to write personal letters to voters soliciting their support. If he means to reach every one of the 15,000,000 voters of the country before election, in that way, it looks as if he would have to put in a few night shifts.

It appears that Massachusetts not only need not apologize but that England has even expressed her willingness to spank the automobile man. There's hands across the sea for you with a vengeance.

## THE BREAKFAST-FOOD HABIT AND ITS RESULTS.

It may add relish to your favorite breakfast food to know that in demanding that every morning you are contributing your mite toward bringing about an economic change in this country which is international in its influence and of much significance. Beginning at the effect and working backward to the cause, we find that the nations of the world are commercially alarmed because, for the first time in history, the exports of manufactures from the United States exceed the exports of agricultural products, which simply means that American manufacturers are making a remarkably successful invasion of foreign fields. While our exports of manufactures are increasing, our exports of agricultural products are decreasing, thus bringing about a significant change in the status heretofore held by America in the great world market.

The cause of the decreasing exports of agricultural products is found chiefly in a rapidly-increasing home consumption. The consumption of wheat per capita in 1904 was 6.32 bushels, an average larger than that of any earlier years except 1902 and 1903.

A recent report of the chief of the Bureau of Statistics of the Department of Commerce and Labor assigns as one of the chief causes of the increased home consumption of the domestic supply of breadstuffs, the growing use of "cereals" of various sorts upon the breakfast table, among all classes of citizens. While no accurate measurement of the quantity of grain consumed in this manner is available, the rapid growth in the use of food preparations of this character is so well established that there can be no doubt that considerable quantities of grain are utilized in this manner, and probably displace, to some extent, the foods of other varieties formerly used. The census report of 1900 shows that the value of articles classed as "food preparations" produced in the United States was \$38,457,651 in 1900, against \$14,105,485 in 1890 and \$2,495,229 in 1880, while the value of material used in the manufacture of these articles was \$12,575,165 in 1900, against \$3,129,225 in 1890 and \$1,604,560 in 1880.

Short crops at home or low prices abroad cannot properly be offered in explanation of the decreasing exports of agricultural products, and home demand must be regarded as the chief factor in the reduction. You will observe, therefore, that your dish of breakfast food each morning not only refreshes you but plays its part in the great American trade metamorphosis. America's prestige as an exporter of agricultural products is waning, largely because its busy workers are making such heavy demands upon this country's domestic products; and the cheapness, nourishing power and variety of the "prepared" cereal breakfast foods are going far toward keeping active the brain and brawn that are turning out the manufactures which now so successfully invade the markets of all the world.

The condition of the city parks, and particularly Westlake Park, has become serious and is daily becoming more so, by reason of the stagnant water and decaying vegetation on one of the lakes. The water in the lake at Westlake Park now has neither inflow nor outflow, the stagnant water and dead vegetation has become a public nuisance, and the people have a right to demand relief. Enough water should be saved from some other source in order that the lakes in the city parks may have at least a slight inflow, enough to prevent the stagnation of the water and the decay of the now-exposed vegetation along the shores. At Westlake Park the most objectionable conditions exist on the north, east and south sides of the lake, and attention should at once be given to the matter before what is now a nuisance becomes a distinct menace to the public health.

A party of Nebraska vandals recently allowed their vulgar self-conceit to so far run away with their judgment that they painted their names on one of the rocks in the Garden of the Gods. But the District Attorney at Colorado Springs taught the perpetrators of the crime a lesson by making them travel the way back from Nebraska to undo their work. And it was good for them.

Just about the time folks might begin to wonder what had become of Charles Schwab, he pops up in San Francisco buying big chunks of steel stock. Charles evidently received some strong western tips on the continuance of Republican policy.

No matter where you hear of Judge Parker being, whether up the Hudson or in Gotham, you invariably hear, also, that David B. Hill called on him. Sometimes it really seems too bad that any man should be afflicted with such a deadly and persistent hoodoo.

The President may well be believed when he says he means to help the West out on irrigation. He is thoroughly in favor of water ditches and has just promoted one on the isthmus of Panama that has been widely commented upon.

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session of here, may attract a great many other old broken-down sports to the town. It wouldn't be surprising if Jack Munroe himself should drop in on us.

The new battleship named for Connecticut is the largest in the navy. But just wait until they build the one they are going to name for California!

Perhaps all the worry as to who shall be the next jefe politico of this ancient pueblo is without warrant. Doubtless the occasion will not lack the man.

It is not surprising that Count Tolstoy's son disagrees with the teachings of his parent. Most boys think they know more than their fathers do.

Tom Taggart says he doesn't need a Western headquarters. He needs it all right, but what he means is that it couldn't do any good.

If Judge Parker were President, he would probably be so solicitous about the Constitution that he'd take it to bed with him nights.

Let us hope that the Connecticut will never meet with any greater obstacle than that which held her up on her first slide.

It's good news that Los Angeles is to have another Fiesta de los Flores. Let the next one be the best yet.

The receipts from the recent prize fight making plucking the ostriches look like child's play.

## LETTERS TO THE TIMES.

The Times freely publishes the views of correspondents without holding itself responsible for the opinions or statements therein. The space of 250 words, on the average, is sufficient for the expression of an idea.

## Registration of Church Members.

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 29.—[To the Editor of The Times:] The mention of my name in connection with some recent statements regarding the registration of church members has caused me to request the privilege of this explanation.

The Anti-Saloon League has a full list of the voting church members of this city and county. Some three weeks ago we compared the list of registered voters with our list of voting church members, and found that at that time about one in five, or 20 per cent, of the voters were church members. This comparison was made of several precincts in different parts of the city with substantial results.

A week or ten days later I mentioned this fact to Messrs. Smith and Ryland. In the meantime, however, ministers had been requested to urge their people to register, and special notices were sent to the unregistered voting church members, and we are now assured that quite a large per cent, of voting church members have registered, and are usually the friends of good government who have no occasion for fear as to the result.

EDWIN S. CHAPMAN, Superintendent State Anti-Saloon League.

## VINCENT'S FAREWELL.

Many Words of Praise and Good Wishes for Departing Pastor and His Wife.

Many were the words of praise bestowed upon Rev. George A. Hough by the members and friends of Vincent Methodist Church at a farewell reception tendered their pastor last evening.

As a fitting close to the work of the man who has done so much for Methodism in Los Angeles the pleasant gathering was accorded, and a desire to settle the Russo-Japanese war all they did was to repeat the remark once made by the Governor of North Carolina to the Governor of South Carolina.

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## No wonder "The West loves Teddy."

Being requested to say just a word, as because the reception was given in honor of the pastor and his wife, Mrs. Hough spoke briefly, and said her greatest joy would be in the visit she would make to friends in this city after her sojourn in the north.

Rev. Mr. Hough at the recent Southern Conference was transferred to the Northern Conference, and by Bishop Wilson was appointed to California Street Methodist Church in San Francisco.

## HAND OF AID TO COMERS NEW.

STRANGERS' FRIEND SOCIETY. AUSPICIOUS START.

Rev. Dr. Kidder Outlines Purpose of Organization, One of Which is to Establish a Fraternal Camp for Worthy Consumptives—Churches Overworked.

"The enthusiasm that is sweeping the twentieth century is the enthusiasm for men. We're going to be humanitarians in the best sense of the word, and we intend to meet and greet every stranger that we see in Los Angeles with a broad face and a hearty hand grasp; a welcome and a 'God bless you.'"

This spoke Dr. A. A. Kidder at Temple Baptist Church last night, and this was the sentiment of the whole meeting, which was held to advance the interests of the recently organized Strangers' Friend Society. Its object is to lend a helping hand to the stranger within our gates, and to show sympathy and encouragement at a time when many stand sorely in need of friends.

The meeting was presided over by Charles Cassatt Davis, and the programme was opened with music by the University Orchestra. Rev. W. A. Lamb, Rev. William Horace Day and Rev. Dr. C. Willett participated in the devotional part of the programme, and then Dr. Kidder proceeded to outline the need of the work proposed in Los Angeles and to detail the plans of the society.

He stated that with the great throng of more than five thousand people a year coming to Los Angeles to settle, besides the immense number of tourists and temporary visitors, the churches are simply overwhelmed with the work among strangers and are enabled only to touch a small portion of it.

"Our plan means no antagonism of the churches' efforts. It rather supplements their labors. We propose a division into eight departments for the benefit of the stranger. The prime object is to touch him when he lands here; to put hope in the newcomer, and to give him a fair start. We shall look up the stranger in a variety of ways, and shall establish a bureau of investigation to take up individual cases that seem to merit special attention.

"Already we have had a donation of an office room in one of the modern new office buildings, and the use of a hall for Sunday afternoon meetings has been placed at our disposal. The ministers are co-operating with the society, and are gladly welcoming us in our efforts at this supplemental work of the churches.

"We contemplate the establishment of a camp in the foothills for the friends of the consumptive who come here and know not where to turn in their struggle for life, and we have other plans maturing for the aid of strangers in various lines.

Judge Curtis D. Wilbur spoke of the broad field for such a society as the Strangers' Friend, and said: "If there is anything clearly emphasized in sacred history, it is the duty of helping the stranger. Any institution which takes hold of man or boy when he is away from home and the usual surroundings are withdrawn from him, is a moral support, and helps him to keep in the line of duty and moral rectitude, is a great help to humanity, to the individual and to the community in which it operates. This movement has up cordial support and commendation from the churches. The East Side Congregational Church, took charge of the financial proposition and succeeded in securing many pledges and annual memberships for the support of the society.

In the course of the evening musical numbers were rendered by Prof. D. W. Hatch, Mrs. Fred R. Dorn, W. Francis Gates and the Swedish Quartette. The church was handsomely decorated with flowers and flags, and a half dozen young ladies, gowned in white, acted as usher.

## MAN OF NOTE HERE.

Distinguished Dutch Engineer on a Flying Trip Visits This City a Few Hours.

Los Angeles entertained two distinguished visitors for a few hours yesterday, but they had come and gone before a dozen persons in the city knew they were here.

They were R. A. van Sandrick and H. Begemann, who have been in the United States several months as representatives of Holland, and their principal business has been to examine the manners, progress and prosperity of the country as outlined at the St. Louis fair. Dr. Sandrick, however, is too much of an enthusiast in his own profession to be satisfied with what he could see at St. Louis, so he made a quick trip to California to see this land of wonders, and particularly its irrigation systems. He is general secretary of the Royal Institute of Netherlands Engineers, and editor of a paper at The Hague, former engineer of a great water system in India, and present member of the Municipal Council of The Hague. He is accompanied by an assistant, H. Begemann, and a friend, and the party has been the guests of the Southern Pacific Railroad Company for several weeks, being taken on a quick mail trip over the State in a special train.

The party arrived yesterday from the north accompanied by Charles S. Fox, traffic manager, and James H. Hough, Jr., assistant general passenger agent of the Southern Pacific, and after luncheon were whirled to Riverside in a special train. N. R. Martin, district passenger agent of the Southern Pacific, and J. J. Bryne, general passenger agent of the Santa Fe, going as guests from here. At Riverside the party was met by Frank Miller, president of the Riverside Chamber of Commerce, A. B. Frost, John G. North and others and an inspection of Riverside's great irrigation systems was made in the short space of time at their disposal. The visitors expressed themselves as much surprised at the results achieved from the scientific handling of water in Southern California, and were much impressed with what they saw of this end of the State.

Dr. Sandrick and his friends left last night at 8 o'clock for St. Louis over the Santa Fe system.

## "ZEE" HAS A VISION.

Open Sesame to Reach Coffers of Property Owners and Secure Cash for Fiesta Fund.

While the proposition to hold a fiesta in this city next spring excited much enthusiasm and only favorable comment among the merchants at their banquet on Wednesday night, the matter was referred to the board of directors for final action.

Notwithstanding the desire of the merchants to perpetuate the delightful custom which gives such wide publicity to the city, they nevertheless feel that others who are benefited equally (to say the least) with themselves should be willing to help pay for the din and glitter that are necessary to back up the society.

Secretary Zeehandelaar said last night that he has had a vision, and to him has been unfolded a plan that will surely meet the approbation of all the property owners, who have heretofore not considered themselves among those to reap special benefit from the fiesta.

"I have a proposition which I will submit to the board of directors at its next meeting, which I consider fair to both parties, and I expect to find the merchants all ready to stand together concerning it. I will propose that we submit to the property owners the idea of their allowing their tenants 10 per cent, of one month's rent, no one building to pay more than \$10. This strikes me as the happy and easy way to dispose of the question as to who should contribute, and it is so easy and so equitable that I think the owners will readily agree."

## NEWMAN CLUB DINNER.

Thirty members of the Newman Club had a dinner at Levy's last night, and Mrs. W. J. Murphy of the Church of the Blessed Sacrament, Hollywood, was the guest of honor. The paper of the evening was read by Elmer Murphy, who recently came to this city from Chicago to take the editorship of the Tidings. His theme was "The Vatican and the Vatican," and the reading was followed by a general discussion.

## NINTH-WARD UNION CLUB.

Seventy-five members of the Ninth Ward Union Club met last night at No. 723 Aliso street and elected officers. J. P. Pacioni presided, and George Kehnbeck was elected president. Charles Campbell secretary, and Tony Save treasurer. Ben Lander, candidate for Supervisor of the Second District, was present and made an address.

## STANFORD UNIVERSITY.

Number of Students Breaks Record for the Institution—"Plug Ugly"—Football.

(SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.) STANFORD UNIVERSITY (Palo Alto) Sept. 28.—The Registrar's office has just issued a statement concerning the registration of new students for the present semester. The figures show that the class of 1908 is the largest in the history of the university. The total number registering for the first time is 488. Last year the number was 457 and two years ago 486. The number of students from other colleges and universities shows a considerable increase.

Senator Fairbanks, Republican candidate for Vice-President, accompanied by Senator Dolliver of Iowa, is scheduled to arrive in Palo Alto Tuesday, October 4. A short stop will be made, and Senator Fairbanks will deliver an address from the platform of the car. If time permits, it is probable that he will be shown the university, and at that time a student demonstration will take place on the evening of October 23.

This afternoon the third preliminary football game of the season is played by the freshmen, who line up against the Oakland High School. The Oakland High School is one of the best eleven in the Academic League this year.

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 class numbered 466. Two years ago 466  
 students from other  
 universities showed a con-  
 siderable increase.  
 Fairbanks, Republican can-  
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 to arrive in Palo Alto next  
 October 2. A short stop will  
 be made at the University of  
 California. Senator Fairbanks  
 will address the platform  
 at that time. It is prob-  
 able that the student body  
 will be in charge of the in-  
 vitation. The student body  
 met recently and de-  
 cided that the event on the  
 evening of the 28th.  
 When the third preliminary  
 of the season is played  
 between the two teams, the  
 men, who line up against  
 the High School. The Oak-  
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## EVENTS IN SOCIETY.

THERE are two young people in  
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 preparations for an elaborate wed-  
 ding, to take place in December. Their  
 numerous friends were planning all  
 sorts of nice little affairs for them.  
 Suddenly these two young folks put  
 their heads together. "What is the  
 use of all this fuss?" they agreed.  
 There were many plans made in or-  
 der to slip away from watchful parents,  
 and finally, Wednesday, with a couple  
 of friends, they dropped into St. Paul's  
 Episcopal Church, and there Dr. J. J.  
 Wilkins united them in marriage. Miss  
 Elizabeth Church, daughter of Mrs.  
 R. P. Church, of No. 1223 Rindall street,  
 and Will Hickey were the contracting  
 parties who thus deliberately flus-  
 tered the plans of loving mamma  
 and friends for a fashionable affair.  
 The pretty little bride wore a tailored  
 suit with hat to match. After the  
 service Mr. and Mrs. Hickey went to  
 the depot, and telephoned to their re-  
 spective homes announcing that they  
 would be out of their homes in a few  
 days. Leaving their parents and friends  
 gazing in awe at this sudden and un-  
 expected turn of affairs, this charm-  
 ingly unconventional young couple  
 have gone to Santa Barbara. On their  
 return they will occupy a flat until  
 the completion of their new home,  
 home on Sunset boulevard. Mrs. Hickey  
 is a pretty girl, who has always had  
 a host of admirers in her train, and  
 her manner is winning. Both young  
 people have many friends who will  
 be surprised to know of the turn of af-  
 fairs, which thus came out of the  
 garb and display of a big wed-  
 ding.

## Pretty Home Wedding.

Miss Muriel Adelaide Beamer, daugh-  
 ter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Beamer, of  
 No. 130 West Twenty-first street, be-  
 came the bride of Charles Henry Clock  
 of Redlands last evening. Rev. E. A.  
 Healy officiated, and Miss Grace El-  
 liott, a college chum of the bride,  
 rendered the wedding music. The only  
 attendant was the little flower girl,  
 Miss Dorothy Clark, a niece of the  
 groom. This little maid wore white or-  
 ganza with lace trimmings, and car-  
 ried a basket of rose leaves, which she  
 strewed along the way of the couple.  
 Miss Beamer wore a handsome gown of  
 white crepe messaline, made with soft  
 folds, and trimmed with hand em-  
 broidery and beading. A veil of filmy  
 tulle was over her face and she car-  
 ried a basket of rose leaves. The ser-  
 vice took place in the reception room of the  
 Beamer home, and this was artistically  
 decorated with green and white. Soft  
 white tulle was stretched from the  
 chandeliers to the walls of the room,  
 and asparagus plumose was twined  
 over this. The pair stood beneath a  
 lover's knot of white tulle, and ferns,  
 and carnations were about the room,  
 and in the dining-room, where re-  
 freshments were served, yellow was  
 the predominant color, the lights  
 were shaded with yellow chrysanthem-  
 ums, and yellow ribbons were feath-  
 ered about the room. Jonquills were  
 in the center of the table with feathery  
 ferns. Miss Beamer is a member of  
 the Delta Gamma Sorority at Stanford,  
 and her sorority sisters sent an ex-  
 ceptional loving cup, as is their custom  
 when one of their number succumbs to  
 Cupid's shafts. This one is a beauty,  
 with the Delta Gamma insignia en-  
 graved upon it, and shaped in the  
 three-cornered fashion with three han-  
 dles, and fashioned from old silver.  
 The members of the Entire Novus So-  
 cietas of the U. S. C. presented Mr. and  
 Mrs. Clock a handsome set of silver  
 spoons. Mr. and Mrs. Clock will make  
 their home in Redlands, where he is  
 engaged in business. A cosy bunga-  
 low awaits the bride, and following a  
 short wedding tour, the couple will

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## Miss Grace Gilhousen and Mr. Mob- ility rendered the wedding music. The bride wore a pretty gown of crepe de paris, and was attended by Miss Blanche Snyder as maid of honor, and by her mother, Mrs. C. E. Galbraith. Messrs. Ira Reeves, John Wildem, Proctor Knott and Clyde Galbraith acted as ushers. The main of honor

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## Sunshine Society.

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 Granada entertained with a whist  
 and dancing party last evening in honor  
 of the Sunshine Society. The rooms  
 were attractively decorated with pop-  
 per bouquets, Geraniums and potted  
 plants added to the brightness of the  
 scene. Pretty prizes were awarded the  
 winners, and refreshments were served.  
 Mrs. Wheeler was assisted in receiv-  
 ing by Mrs. Warren S. Young, Mrs.  
 Frederick Johnston, Mrs. Kanst, Mrs.  
 Stone, Mrs. Della Brackett, Mrs. T.  
 Spencer Brown and Mrs. William  
 Wallace McLeod.

## At Church of Nazarene.

Miss Paven Evelyn Galbraith be-  
 came the bride of Andrew O. Hendricks  
 few evenings ago, the ceremony being  
 performed by Dr. P. F. F. Brown, at the  
 Church of the Nazarene, Rev. J. P.  
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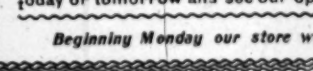
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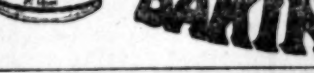
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Supposed Doctor Has Served Jail Sentence in Los Angeles and May Get Another—Reunion Arranged by Orange County Veterans—City Hall Dedication Plans.

SANTA ANA, Sept. 29.—Development of the past two days have proven conclusively to the minds of the officers and local Masons that the man found wandering in the peatlands in an apparently demented condition, and later cared for here by the Masonic Lodge, under the name of Dr. Alton B. Neal of Millersburg, Ky., is not Dr. Neal, but a rank impostor, who is using Neal's name and Masonic standing to get money enough to keep him supplied with morphine, to the use of which his present mental and physical wreck is attributable.

When the man first appeared here and gave the name of Neal, it was observed that he was a dope fiend, and small doses of the drug were given him to keep him in a tractable condition. L. L. Shaw, of the local Masonic Lodge, who has taken Neal's case personally in hand ever since he appeared here, said, at a meeting of the lodge last night, that he had learned that he left there with plenty of money in company with several friends to attend the Templar Conclave at San Francisco, and an examination of the hotel register at the Van Nuys showed that Neal was there with a party of fourteen friends from Millersburg and Sharpburg, Ky. His couple of days before the appearance of the man posing as Neal in this city. Later information from Neal's home town was to the effect that he was not a doctor, such as the prisoner here purports to be, and placing the matter in the conclusion reached was that the man here was an impostor. Apparently he suspected that the officers here were becoming suspicious of his identity, and while confined at the hospital Sunday evening made an attempt to escape. He was promptly turned over to Sheriff Lacy, and has since been in jail. This morning Marshal Maxwell swore to a complaint charging him with vagrancy, and it is likely he will be committed to serve a term in the County Jail on that charge. The man still maintains to the officers that he is Neal of Millersburg, but he has admitted a term of three days in the Los Angeles County Jail for disturbing the peace at Pasadena, and also served a ten days' sentence in the Los Angeles City Jail on another charge. He was formerly in Fresno. From his manner and talk he is apparently refined, probably a medical student, and has at one time belonged to the Masonic order, although not at Millersburg. He refuses to divulge the whereabouts of his family.

Meanwhile nothing can be learned about the real Neal, whose name the man here has been impersonating to work his graft. The story of the knockout drops at Long Beach, of course, discarded as a fabrication pure and simple, but some fear is entertained that the real Neal may have come to harm at the hands of the man here. It is known that he had plenty of money with him, and nothing has been heard from him since leaving Los Angeles, either by the Millersburg Lodge, so far as is known here, or by local Masons who have been making inquiries.

The friends whom the prisoner here claims as his father's financial agents have been addressed in San Francisco, and his trial will be held in Los Angeles until a response is received from them.

**CITY HALL NEARLY FINISHED.**

Arrangements are almost completed by the City Council for the dedication exercises of the new City Hall to be held in connection with the seventh annual convention of the League of California Municipalities, which will be held here November 16, 17 and 18. The dedication will take place on the evening of November 16, and will be the feature of the first day's programme. An elaborate programme is being arranged for the event, including a dedicatory service by some prominent visitor to be chosen later. Brief talks will be made by Mayor Schmitt of San Francisco, Mayor M. P. Snyder of Los Angeles and Mayor Frary of San Diego, also by various local city and county officials. Special music will be furnished by vocalists, and the Santa Ana Band, and refreshment booths for the dispensing of punch and wafers will be presided over by delegations of young ladies.

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**WILL HOLD BIG REUNION.**

The Orange County Veterans' Association will meet in annual convention at the G. A. R. Hall October 19. The convention will be called to order at 10:30 a. m., when reports of officers will be read, new officers chosen and a place selected for the next gathering. At noon basket lunch will be served, and then will follow speeches and toasts, interspersed with music and songs of the old times. Besides the various reports the invitation is extended to all old officers of the county whether affiliated with the G. A. R. or not, to all former Confederate soldiers and their families, to all societies, auxiliary to the G. A. R., to veterans of the Spanish War and friends, so that the attendance promises to be exceptionally large and the day an interesting one.

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## Surprises in Women's Wearables

Friday is now the one day that we specially feature a cleanup of odd lots and broken lines. This week the offerings are particularly attractive.

### \$2.50 White Lawn Waists at \$1.50.

These shirt waists are trimmed with insertions and tuckings; are in a large assortment of styles both plain fronts and yoke effects; are a general grouping of \$2.50 values priced Friday to close **\$1.50**



New Wool Waists—Vellings and Granite Cotton in shades of tan, blue, red, green, also black. Trimmed with narrow tucking and knife plaiting; have hemstitched edges. They would be good values at \$5.00. Friday surprise **\$3.98**

Voile Walking Skirts—new styles prettily trimmed with self plaiting and tailor buttons and are in blue or black only. They are actually worth up to \$6.50. Choice Friday **\$3.95**

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Women's \$3.50 and \$4.00 Shoes—Vici kid, patent kid or soft Velour calf with hand turned or welted soles; are in new shapely lasts; suitable for dress and street wear; all sizes in the combined lines. Friday surprise **\$2.95**

Old Ladies' "Comfort" Shoes—lace or button styles; made with plain toes, low common sense heels and are in sizes 2 1/2 to 4 only; are actually worth \$2.00. Priced as a Friday surprise at per pair **75c**

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For Friday only an assortment of suit hats in French sailors or small turban shapes of velvet and braid or silk and felts; trimmed in the new color effects with ribbons, wings and pompons and are in the popular colors also black. Values up to \$10.00 for Friday only. **\$6.50**



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Women's and misses' street hats of pressed Mohair felt with stitched binding of felt or velvet; trimmed with velvet ribbons and ornaments or wings and coque feathers; all the wanted colors **\$1.95** Friday only, choice.

BARGAIN TABLE, MAIN FLOOR

## Laces worth to 20c at per yard 5c

Wash laces, edges, insertions, and bands in every antique, Trench and Normand; Valenciennes, white ecru and arctic, widths to 5 inches and values to 30c. Friday Surprise, choice, per yard **5c**

## Ribbons Worth to 20c at per Yard 5c

All silk ribbons, including taffeta, satin liberty and satin taffeta, good quality, assorted widths in popular colors, white and cream; values to 20c. Friday Surprise per yard **5c**

Men's 75c and \$1.00 Crown Make Suspenders at 49c.

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10c Curtain Swiss per yard 7 1/2c  
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There is nothing cheap or old fashioned about the textiles offered. Some of them are broken lines but in the main are special leaders bought for selling during the "Opening" week and have been held in reserve for Friday Surprises.

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About 800 lengths ranging 1 to 10 yards and are regular 50c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25 silks; both plain and fancy Taffetas, 27 inch Chinas, wash silks, plain and fancy Pongees, Foulards, shirt waist silks, satins and others. All of them on bargain table Friday at per yard **29c**

20 inch all Black Silk Peau de Soie—soft, mellow quality with satin, finished face and pure silk back; will give satisfactory wear and is an 85c value. Friday surprise per yard **59c**

36 inch Black Lining Taffeta—10 pieces only in this offering; just the kind of silks for linings, and drop skirts; is a crisp lustrous finish; will give good wear; is 36 inches wide and a \$1.00 value. Friday surprise **75c**

Fancy Shirt Waist Silk—all new goods in the wanted shades of green, red, blue, gray and black grounds with small overcast effects, hair line stripes and checks, jacquard figures, seeded effects on changeable grounds and are in Louisiana and Taffeta weaves; are 20 inches wide and worth \$1.00 to \$1.25. Friday surprise per yard **68c**

38 inch Fancy Mohair Brilliantines—entirely new weaves for shirt waist suits, waists, and children's dresses; are in blue, brown, black and green grounds with small woven figures, check effects and stripes; a 65c value. Friday surprise per yard **50c**

All Wool Black Dress Goods—regular \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50 values including Crepe Voiles, rice and nub Voiles, and Granite cloths; all of them a rich black, strictly pure wool and 48 inches wide. Friday surprise per yard **79c**

4-yard Wool Skirt Length—just 500 in the lot and include 42 inch Cheviot Serge, 36 inch Vaseatin cloth, 38 inch mannish satins, 40 inch fancy Chevots, 40 inch Granite cloth, 38 inch fancy Mohair, 38 inch fancy Zobelins and others. They are worth \$3.00 a pattern but offered per 4-yard length Friday **\$1.95**

## Women's 25c Wash Neckwear 10c

Asorted styles including fancy embroidered stock collars, band collars, turn over collars, stocks with bows, ties and other popular neckwear; all of good quality and worth 25c. Friday Surprise, choice **10c**

## 10c All Linen Handkerchiefs at 5c

Are of good quality, nice size, neatly hemstitched hems, well made; also sheer lawn handkerchiefs of nice quality all of them regular 10c values. Friday Surprise **5c**

## "Fruit of the Loom" Muslin per yard 7 1/2c.

For Friday's selling we offer one case of mill ends of this celebrated muslin, 7 to 15 yards and full 36 inches wide, all perfect goods; worth 10c. Friday Surprise per yard **7 1/2c**

## 50c and 60c All Over Lace Yoking per yard 25c.

This is really an exceptional offering consisting of Normandy, Valenciennes, Pt. de Paris and fancy wash laces of nice quality in butter, ecru, ivory and white; the kinds that usually sell at 50c and 60c. Choice Friday **25c**

Lace Curtains per Pair 45c  
New Nottingham lace Curtains—overlock edges; good for bedroom curtains. Friday per pair **45c**

New Lace Curtains per Pair 85c  
All shaded patterns and double twisted thread; buttonhole edges; good assortment to select from. Friday per pair **85c**

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## Household Surprises

Enameled Milk Pans—blue mottled outside and white inside; 12 1/2 inch diameter; regular price 90c. Friday **33c**

Gas Hot Plates—24x22 inches; four burners; are black finished, nickel trimmed. Price Friday **\$4.50**

Double Meat Rastors—refined steel sheeting with nickel plated ventilators and loose grates; medium size. Price Friday **79c**

Step Ladder—highly seasoned pine, wire red supports; four foot size. Price Friday **69c**

Enameled Sauce Pans—either handled or bailed; medium sized. Price **28c**

All Copper Tea Kettle—heavily nickel plated; flat bottom; will fit any stove. Price **\$1.15**

"Puritan" Oil Stove—brass burner, nickel trimmed; one burner size. Price Friday **89c**

Curtain Stretcher—adjustable nickel plated pins; are all large size; worth \$2.49. Price Friday **\$1.98**

## Underwear and Hosiery Surprises

Two lines of wearables always in demand for which you need not pay such high prices and yet get good quality.

Women's Union Suits—French ribbed, white only, high neck, long sleeve, ankle length; button down front style; usual \$1.25 values. Friday surprise **75c**

Women's Fleece Union Suits—Jersey ribbed, gray or white, high neck, long sleeve, ankle length; usual 75c value. Priced for Friday **50c**

Women's Fleece Vests—Jersey ribbed, high neck, long sleeves, white, gray or ecru. Pants to match with French bands and are in ankle length; regular 35c value. Priced for Friday **25c**



Women's Black Lisle Hose—have half white feet which are double spliced and regular 50c values. Priced at three pairs for \$1.00 or per pair **35c**

Women's All Over Lace Lisle Hose—plain black; also set-in lace ankle hose in newest patterns; all made of double soles, heels and toes; worth regularly \$1.25. Specially priced at **75c**

## Friday Surprises in Carpets

Some very choice values that you will find are priced from one third to one half less than the same grades are usually sold for.



### Tapestry Brussels Carpets

Finest closest ten wire weave; no better grade made; choice patterns and colors; a regular \$1.20 value. Friday per yard **90c**

Ingrain Carpet Samples—about 500 of them used by a traveling man. Are 30 x 36 inch size; some of the finest all wool; good for mats for bedrooms; worth 85c a yard. Friday per piece **19c**

Velvet Rugs—made from a traveler's samples; are one yard long; fringed on end; are in pretty colors and patterns; worth \$1.50. Price Friday **89c**

Brussette Carpet—regular width; good for runners and stairs or for bedrooms; regular value 40c. Friday surprise per yard **25c**

Hemp-Strait Carpet—good for runners over carpets or for regular stair purposes; and more serviceable than oil cloth. Reduced from 18c to per yard **10c**

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## Notion Surprises

\$1.25 Satin Hose Supporters—silk embroidered sew-on kind; cushion fastener. Price **75c**

24c Piece Paraffin Ironing Wax—muslin covered with handle. Friday **1c**

50c "Grecian pose" Hose Supporters—strong web; "Sun" clasp fasteners **25c**

24c "Hump" Hooks and Eyes—2 dozen on card. Friday **1c**

15c "Arrow" Safety Pin Books—24 assorted pins; black and bright. Friday **8 1/2c**

30c "Marco" Dress Shields—Nain-sook covered; pure gum rubber lined; choice of four sizes **15c**

3c Hair Pins—black steel wire; medium size; 25 to paper. Friday **1c**

24c "Washington" Pins—400 count; good points. Friday **1c**

## Jewelry Surprises

### New Alarm Clocks 65c

These are a standard make of alarm clocks. They are warranted and are as good as those sold most anywhere at \$1.00. A special Friday leader **65c**

Belt Buckles at 45c  
The very newest in front and back effects and are in gilt, French gray or oxidized. Specially priced for Friday **45c**

New Silk Belts 75c  
These are ring and button styles; all the fashionable shapes and are the very latest silk belt novelty. Specially priced Friday **75c**

Shoppings Bags at 95c  
Fine leather handles and are in imitation alligator and lizard skin; are well made and are a Friday offering **95c**



### Mill End Linings per yard 10c.

An assortment of regular 25c and 20c linings in desirable mill lengths consisting of 36 inch silases, percalines, satens, glass cloth and others. Friday Surprise per yard **10c**

### 25c Dress Sateen per yard 15c.

One lot of American dress sateen in navy blue. French blue or black grounds with small figure and stripe patterns; an exceptionally good quality, worth 25c. Friday Surprise per yard **15c**

### 25c Silk Vellings per yard 5c.

An assortment of all silk veiling, including chiffon, sewing silk and fancy mesh veiling in black, plain colors and combinations; worth to 25c. Friday Surprise per yard **5c**

## \$1.50 Copyright Books at 58c

This is a line of books that were sold recently by ourselves and are today sold by others at \$1.50. This is the first time they have been offered at such low prices. Partial list of titles are: "The Cavalier," Cable; "R d Rock," Page; "Right of Way," Parker; "With Hoops of Steel," Kelly; "When Knighthood Was in Flower," Gaskoden; "Adventures of Sherlock Holmes," Doyle; "Susan Coolidge," Brooks; "If I Were King," McCarthy; "In the Fog," Davis; "Via Crucis," Crawford; "Master Christian," Corelli; "Truth," Zola; "Bath Comedy," Castle; "Wolfville Nights," Lewis; "Capt. Horn," Stockton; "Donovan Pasha," Parker; "Mississippi Bubble," Hough; "Sorrow of Satan," Corelli; "Hound of Baskervilles," Doyle; "Cardinal's Snuff Box," Harland, and fifty others.

## 25c, 35c and 50c Cloth Bound Books at 19c

We desire to close out a large lot of books, all nicely bound and printed and in the list are many of the popular favorites for both juveniles and adults. They have sold at 25c, 35c and 50c. A partial list of the titles are: Poets; Famous Women Series; Boys' Books; by Towle; Hints to Librarians; Gold Dust; Gunmaker of Moscow; Christian Year; My Roses, and How I Grew Them; Tasso's Jerusalem Delivered; Imitation of Christ; Household Poems; Fifteen Decisive Battles; British Female Poets; Hugo's Poems; French Compositions and Idioms; Maria Edgeworth; Madame Roland; Jane Austen; The Egoist; Twenty Years After; Sir Roger de Coverley.

### 10c Crinoline per yard 5c.

This is a 27 inch linen finish shrunk crinoline that always sells at 10c but will be specially offered as a Friday Surprise per yard **5c**

### Mill Lengths 25c Sheet-ing per yard 19c.

This is an excellent quality 9 1/4 brown sheeting that will both wash and wear well and is a grade that is sold when in the full piece at 25c. Friday Surprise per yard **19c**

### Diaper Cotton per piece 55c.

A soft absorbent nicely woven diaper cotton, 20 inches wide, of best quality; usually sold at 75c. Priced as a Friday Surprise at **55c** per piece

## Corset Covers 50c

Are of cambric; trimmed with fine lace insertions and edgings to match; others with blind embroidery. Choice Friday **50c**

## Corset Covers at 98c

Fine cambric; trimmed with three rows of insertion with edging to match; finished with ribbon beadings in pink, blue or white. Friday surprise **98c**

## New Fall Corsets at 50c

They are white, drab, pink or blue; either high, low or medium bust; long or short hip and are finished with lace and ribbons. A Friday leader at **50c**

## New Girdles at 75c

A new line of satin ribbon girdles in white, pink or blue; finished with wide satin ribbon bow, and are in full assortment of sizes. Choice **75c**



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